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NEWS AND COMMENTS.

THE development of the country of which Asheville is the centre is something wonderful. "The Land of the Sky" is as well known in America as is Switzerland in Europe, and is full as beautiful and majestic. Nature has compelled the world's devotion at her shrine, and the influx of capital into that favored region is without parallel. All the concomitants of luxury and splendor of living greet the pleasure-seeker, and to be quartered in a hotel is to abide in a palace. An American nabob expends millions of dollars on a country-seat, and revives the sybaritic magnificence of Augustean Rome.

THE election of FLOWER in New York has not by any means compensated Southern *Democrats*, at any rate, for the defeat of CAMPBELL in Ohio. He fought as Jeffersonian Democrats (their *habitat* is this side of Mason & Dixon's Line) love to see a man fight:—principles laid down and adhered to; "hewing to the line, let the chips fall where they may;" blows straight from the shoulder—and disaster at the polls did not leave a blemish on his record. But the odds were too great: it was a matter of life and death with the Republicans, and they poured money into the State like water to keep their 11,000 net majority, and save MCKINLEY, the very embodiment of the party's pet theory of protection.

CENTRAL and South America each seems to be poised on an axis of revolution, every turn of the wheel bringing about an insurrection or change of government. FONSECA has just declared himself Dictator in Brazil, proroguing the Congress as acting unconstitutionally. There is still a considerable party of monarchists in that country, but it is very certain that, let happen what will, DOM PEDRO will never again return to his beloved Brazil. He lingers on, waiting for death, at Orporto, in Portugal, a physical and mental wreck, treated with contemptuous indifference by his relatives of the house of Braganza, who charge him with having wrought all his troubles by his own leaning toward a liberal form of government.

SOME of the Northern and Western newspapers have taken fright lately over the possibility of an ex-Confederate soldiers' parade at the World's Fair, and spectres of "rebel brigadiers" rise on the distorted vision, while the "rebel yell" fairly splits the *tympanum* of the loyal ear. It is announced, with a sensational arrangement of head-lines, that the Southern soldiers insist upon carrying their battle-flags and the "starry cross" in the great procession which is to help immortalize Columbia. It would be a sight to make a mute *at a funeral break* into a guffaw—ex-Confederates keeping step under the "stars and stripes;" but we can't see any sense in their marching at all at the World's Fair—especially in a city that eagerly seized upon the opportunity of turning the "thrifty penny" out of Libby Prison, the scene of the "untold horrors wrought upon Union soldiers by the barbarity of JEFF DAVIS and his myrmidons." The cause was lost, and it remains for us only to vindicate it in history, to bequeath its unsullied lustre to posterity, and to sanctify its memory over the countless graves it made; but we'll not resurrect the skeletons of the heroic old regiments to subject them to insult and contumely.

THE Motz trial, removed from Lincoln county to Cleveland, involving the tragedy of the killing of SAM MOTZ and the wounding of ROBERT MICHAEL, and the pitiable story of the ruin by the latter of MAGGIE MOTZ, is told in many of the North Carolina papers in all its harrowing circumstances of the shedding of blood, and all its impure details of a sin by which a young man's life was clouded and a woman fell. We had about as soon be charged with highway robbery as accused of prudery, but we regret to see any part of the Southern press devoting its pages to the "enterprising journalism" which serves up to its readers the full text of the proceedings of Cleveland county Superior Court—surrendering its columns to a mass of matter which makes the father or mother fain to put the cherished family paper out of sight of son and daughter about the hearthstone. There are times when the interests of justice—even of morals—demand that the press shall characterize vice and crime in no equivocal terms; but there is never a time when it becomes its duty or privilege to pander to pruriency. There are communities where the "spiciness" of the New York *World* and the *brutum fulmen* of vulgarity of the *Police Gazette* are "rolled as a sweet morsel under the tongue"—but we had hoped that Southern people were not yet "educated" to that pitch.

"MRS. O'SHEA PARNELL is said to be dying." It is a simple cablegram announcement, but what a tragedy lies underneath! "All for love, and the world well lost!" But, alas! what a woful awakening when the pitiless reality replaced the glamour of the impassioned dream! We don't believe that she whose death-bed drops the curtain on the stormy career of the great patriot was a bad woman—such fidelity to the last days of a great heart broken must be part of a noble nature—and when KITTY O'SHEA permitted her vivacious mind to be attracted by the genius of the Irish leader, as she received him at her husband's board, and her cultured woman's fancy to be fascinated by his heroism, and, at last, her impulsive woman's heart to permit him entrance, with too warm a light in the tender eye, too soft a note in the witching voice—if some kind hand of supernatural power had torn the false veil from a future so alluring but fearful the unhappy woman would have turned back upon the threshold of a home she was about to darken, and with trembling hands would have laid hold upon the altar of domestic life as to a rock of refuge in a tempest-lashed sea. But she was a weak woman, and her weakness wrought as terribly as CLEOPATRA'S wickedness—it stained an honest man's name, and wrecked the brilliant life that belonged to a whole wronged people and an oppressed country.

SINCE OUR LAST ISSUE.

Latest News from all Parts of the World, Prepared Especially for the Readers of "The Observer."

The filing of a petition in equity for a number of Cherokee Indians, asking the partition and allotment in severalty of nearly 14,000,000 acres of land of the Cherokee Indians, is creating quite a stir among the Indians of the civilized tribes. It is thought to be the largest land suit ever instituted in America. ——"This is the way I'll kill myself some day," said 16-year-old Vincent Staffney, of Chicago, as he pressed a revolver against his forehead. He did not think it was loaded. He pulled the trigger, and fell to the floor dead. ——A statement prepared at the Treasury Department shows that there was a net increase in the circulation during the month of October of $33,810,125 and a net increase of $9,182,403 in the money and bullion in the Treasury during the same period. ——There are thousands of acres of grain in shock in Minnesota and South Dakota covered with snow and ice. ——In a religious riot at Masendanan, Persia, a mob set fire to the house of General Saadat Gooly Khan, who was killed, with twenty dependents. ——United States Minister Lincoln and the military attache of the American legation, Major Post, have left London for Italy and the East. They will be absent for a month. ——Ex-President Grover Cleveland was seen at his residence, in Madison avenue, and gave his opinion of the result of Tuesday's election as follows: "Of course, every one has a right to put his own construction upon the result, and I am not anxious to obtrude my ideas; but it seems to me that some things ought to be no longer doubtful. Any man who still thinks that tariff reform is a settled and an obsolete issue, or that the importance of sound and safe money is a question upon which the people can be blinded, is either wilfully wrong or dangerously dull." ——The Presidency of Chili has been offered to Jorge Montt. Congress will reopen November 26th. All political prisoners have been released. The excitement is fast dying out, and it is believed that the government is now willing to settle all claims made by foreigners who have been injured. ——Seventeen miners were killed in a shaft at the Anaconda mine, Montana, on the 3rd inst., while coming up in the cage. ——Ex-Governor Marks, of Tennessee, died suddenly on the 4th inst. ——The latest advices from Rio Janeiro look as though another revolution might break out in Brazil at any moment. ——Capt. Arthur R. Yates, Commandant of the Portsmouth Navy Yard, died of heart disease. ——Six notices of contests for seats in the next Congress have been filed with the Clerk of the House of Representatives. ——The walled city of Tehhua, China, has been attacked and captured by a mob. ——The New York Presbytery dismissed the charge against Dr. Briggs. ——Augusta has invited ex-President Cleveland, Governor Hill, Governor-elect Flower and Governor Russell to visit her exposition. ——Factional fights still occur at public gatherings in Ireland. ——The cotton-seed-oil mills of Charlotte have great difficulty in procuring enough seed. ——The Winston Salem postoffices will not be combined. ——Palo Alto trotted a mile in 2:10 at Stockton, Cal., beating his own record. ——Nine more war vessels at Brooklyn Navy Yard or vicinity are available for service. ——The colony of Victoria, Australia, will provide for a loan of $30,000,000, the money to be used in the construction of railroads and other productive works. ——Associated Press returns on the New York Legislature give the following results: To Senate Republicans have elected 17 of their candidates, and the Democrats 14; and in the 32nd district Dr. Jas. T. Edwards, Independent Republican, nominated by Republicans opposed to Senator Vedder, and endorsed by Democrats, is elected. To the Assembly 65 Democrats, 61 Republicans and 2 Independent Democrats are elected, the latter being County Democrats who had been endorsed by Republicans in the 22nd and 24th New York City districts, respectively. ——Returns from 90 of 106 counties in Kansas State show a defeat of the People's Party ticket in 75 counties. In two judicial districts in which the elections were held 7 Republicans, 2 Democrats and 1 Allianceman were elected. There were combinations between the Democrats and Republicans in three judicial districts, all of which were successful. Jerry Simpson was the only Alliance Congressman who succeeded in putting his county ticket through. ——Probably the plurality for Boies in Iowa is over 8,000. This will carry the rest of the Democratic State ticket by probably 3,000 plurality. Dey (Dem.) for Railroad Commissioner will probably have nearly 4,000 plurality. The Senate will be Democratic by 26 to 24. The House will probably be Republican by 54 to 46. ——Hostility to the World's Fair management is said to have been revived in some trades-unions of Chicago, and it is now proposed on the part of the unions to carry the war against the Fair to the House of Representatives, and defeat, if possible, any further appropriations from that source. ——The New York banks hold $12,338,525 in excess of the 25 per cent. requirements. The exports of specie from New York for last week amounted to $718,858 and the imports to $1,404,278. The aggregate amount of 4½ per cent. bonds redeemed by the treasury to date is $20,903,200, leaving $4,601,500 outstanding. ——It is estimated that there are 50,000 improper female characters in Berlin, and as many male retainers of vice, whom Emperor William intends driving from the country. With this end in view it is expected that bills will be introduced in the Reichstag to punish the offenders by flogging and extended terms of imprisonment at hard labor. ——The internal revenue collections in the Raleigh district for October were $105,006, the largest on record. The increase is due to the amount of distillation of brandy from apples and peaches. ——The agrarian party in Germany is excited over the report that the German government will negotiate a treaty with the United States involving reciprocity in the treatment of American grains and pork and German sugar and other products. ——The Andover theological case has been decided in favor of Prof. Smyth by the Massachusetts Supreme Court.

ON CAROLINA'S HILLS.

The Grandest Scenery to be Witnessed East of the Rockies—The Colossal Estate and Improvements of George W. Vanderbilt.

Colonel McClure in Philadelphia Times.]

I have seen the grand mountain views of every part of our continent east of the Sierra Nevadas, and must testify that there is no mountain scenery this side of the Rocky Mountains that equals, or even approaches, the grandeur of the varied views presented here. From the southern portico of the Kenilworth Inn can be seen fully forty mountain peaks and domes, all of which are higher than Mt. Washington or any other elevation east of the Rockies. Here is a complete circle of broken mountains as far as the eye can reach, with Mt. Mitchell nestling among a family of undulating cliffs away off toward the rising sun, kissing the chilly breezes at an altitude of 6,711 feet above the sea; and directly toward the setting sun, more than one hundred miles distant, is Mt. Pisgah, with its beautifully-rounded dome towering over its neighboring peaks to cast its long shadows over the foot-hills and valleys below. Such a panorama of variegated mountain scenery is not to be seen in all our boasted Blue Ridge and Appalachian ranges, or in all the varied rugged scenery of the White Mountains of New England.

Asheville and its surroundings are a revelation to all when this matchless mountain view breaks upon them. It is now a hive of industry as well as the Mecca of pleasure- and health-seekers in the South. Its altitude ranges from 2,400 to 3,000 feet above tidewater. The city, with its permanent population of 5,000, is the county seat of the famous county of Buncombe, and it is surrounded by innumerable broken hills with frequent jutting peaks, all adorned by beautiful residences, while across the Swannanoa (the Indian term for beautiful river) is an enchanting view of mingled foot-hill farms and broken mountains.

One prominent elevation some three miles from the river is the centre of the magnificent estate of George W. Vanderbilt, containing 7,200 acres in one body, and employing from 600 to 1,000 men in beautifying it. The land alone cost $250,000, and his improvements are so colossal in conception as to find parallel only in the grandeur of the ancient Romans. His house is now in the course of erection on the western slope of the central elevation, with a bewitching view of mountains, rivers, farms and city. It is 400 feet in length, with solid walls of fifty feet in height from the deer park on the western front to the first floor, and the lawn-tennis court alone, with its huge walls from thirty to fifty feet in height, would make a foundation for the grandest of the ancient temples in the Old World.

A private railroad some five miles in length is kept busy transporting materials for the palace, for bridges, for roads, etc., and when completed the cost of the estate will reach $5,000,000. There will be one hundred miles of elegant roads traversing the Vanderbilt estate, of which thirty-eight will be macadamized, and scores of bridges, of every conceivable form of exquisite architecture, will add to the beauty of the place. The building of the palace will be a five years' task, even with every branch of mechanism employed in its construction filled with workmen. This will be the most magnificent estate on the continent, surpassing the oldest and largest English estates in natural beauty, and with its game preserves equaled by few in any country of the world.

It is not surprising that thousands of visitors come from the sunny South in summer time to enjoy the bracing atmosphere and unrivaled beauty of these mountains, nor is it surprising that thousands come here from the North in winter time to escape the sudden changes and oppressive rigor of our winter climates. It is the one pleasure- and health-seeking region that has all seasons for its worshippers. Its rides and drives of unequal beauty, its dry, exhilarating atmosphere, its genial winters even among the mountain tops, and its pure breezes and cool nights in the heat of summer, make it an all-the-year resort for those who seek pleasure, rest or fugitive health, and it is evidently destined to become the great resort of the American continent.

An Ocean Burial.

I have just seen an ocean burial. Just now a body has disappeared beneath the waves, to be one of the great multitude that shall come forth when the sea gives up its dead. It was an old man, a steerage passenger, far gone with heart disease when he came on board. He was alone, and nobody knew him. Probably he understood that he could not live long. But his thoughts perhaps went back to the old churchyard of his fathers, and he tried to hold out until he could be laid to rest by the graves of his kindred.

But the summons came in mid-ocean. A Romish priest jabbered a few Latin prayers over the lifeless remains, and scattered drops of water or oil upon the coarse sack that covered them. The great panting engine, turning endlessly at its mighty wheel, at a given signal stopped its labor for a moment. A British flag was quickly drawn off the extemporized bier, the end of the board was lifted to a high angle, and the poor, limp clay slipped off and shot swiftly down to its ocean bed. And then as the engine started again, the hundreds who had looked on went back to their reading, their chat, their games and laughter, which closed over the solemn scene as the waves closed over the body, and almost as quickly. Scarce a memory of it is left behind.

Well, perhaps it is better so. Certainly for us who are off for rest and recreation, we can properly say, "Peace to the ashes of the dead," and then turn, somewhat sobered, to the usual occupations of the day.

A Tomahawk in the Centre of a Log.

At Morse, Wis., a rare curiosity has been found in the centre of a saw-log 32 inches in diameter, in the shape of an Indian tomahawk or hatchet. It is 6 inches in length, and has a 2½-inch blade, made of roughly-forged iron. There were 10 inches of solid timber over the head, showing the indenture of a portion of the handle in the timber, which was different timber from the tree. Best judges of the growth of pine timber say it has been in the tree two centuries, as it was 20 feet from the ground.

FOOLED BY MOSBY.

How the Confederate Guerilla Got the Federal Password and Made a Raid.

New York Herald.]

The man with the coolest nerve I ever met, said Colonel A. D. Selfert, who was in a reminiscent mood recently, was Colonel John S. Mosby, late C. S. A. I was a high private at Harper's Ferry when that place was captured by Stonewall Jackson in 1862. After waiting for some time for our exchange we were ordered down to Fairfax Court House, Va., where we were on the lookout for Mosby.

One cold, clear night in February, 1863, I was on picket-duty on the Warrenton road. I had post two. I was walking my post almost on the double-quick, trying to keep warm, when I heard a troop of cavalry coming down the Warrenton road at a quick trot. They were stopped by the man on post one all right, and then came down on my post.

When they came close enough to me I halted them.

"Friends with the countersign," was the answer to my challenge.

"One man dismount and advance with the countersign," was my next command.

A well-dressed officer dismounted and advanced to the point of my bayonet, and gave the countersign "Jamaica."

"Countersign correct!" I shouted; "pass on."

There were about three hundred of them; a motley crew in appearance, but they were a jolly lot, singing, talking and laughing. They passed on, and in due time I was relieved, and soon was sound asleep.

Early the next morning the sergeant of the guard roused me up, and told me I was wanted at headquarters. In charge of an orderly I went. When I got there the man who was on post one was ahead of me. He was ashered into the presence of General Alexander Hayes, our commanding officer, and when he came out I went in.

"You had post two at —— last night?" demanded the general.

"I had, sir."

"Tell me about the troop of cavalry that passed your post."

I told him what had happened.

"Well," he said grimly, "you played hell;" and he dismissed me.

I discovered pretty soon that the men I had passed were Mosby's command with Mosby at their head. They had ridden through the entire camp, taken the tent of one of the general officers, mounted him on a mule, and escaped with him to the Confederate lines.

How did he get the password? We found out that afterward. At one of the outposts was the rawest kind of a raw German. While he was on picket-duty a man dressed in a captain's uniform, with a red sash of the officer of the day across his breast, approached him. He challenged, and the officer responded:

"Officer of the day with the countersign."

"Advance and give the countersign."

The officer advanced and gave a word which was not the correct one.

"That's not right," said the sentinel, "and you can't pass."

After considerable wrangling, the officer insisting that his word was right, he exclaimed angrily: "What word have you got?" The man said: "The sergeant of the guard gave me the word 'Jamaica,' and nobody can pass without it."

The officer was no other than Mosby himself. He had all he wanted, and, waiting for night, he got his men together and made the successful raid.

For cool nerve, it beat anything I ever heard of.

How a Spider Ruined a Nation.

St. Louis Republic.]

When the French quartermaster, Disjonval, was confined in prison by the Dutch at Utrecht he sought to beguile the tedium of his prison life by attentively studying the habits of the spiders which frequented his cell, and eight years of imprisonment gave him leisure to be well versed in their ways. In December of 1704 the French army, on whose victory over the Dutch depended Disjonval's restoration to liberty, were in Holland, and the victory seemed certain if the frost, which was then of unprecedented severity, continued.

The Dutch envoys had failed to negotiate a peace, and Holland was despairing when the frost suddenly broke. The Dutch were now exulting, and the French generals prepared to retreat; but the spiders of Disjonval's cell forewarned him that the thaw would be of short duration, and he knew that his little insect weather monitors never deceived him. Accordingly he contrived to communicate his weather knowledge to the army of his countrymen, and its generals, who duly estimated his (Disjonval's) character, relied upon his assurance that within a few days the waters would again be frozen so as to be passable to the French troops.

They delayed their retreat; within twelve days a sharp freeze set in and the French army triumphed. Disjonval was released, and a spider had brought ruin to the Dutch nation.

A Palace Made of Coal.

The coal palace at Ottumwa, Iowa, is an imposing structure, 230 feet in length and 130 feet in width, with a central tower 200 feet in height. The castle is two stories in height, the first twenty feet to the ceiling, the second, reaching the top of the structure, varying from forty to sixty feet. The main entrance is on Main street, through the grand arches in the tower in the front centre, whose summit is near the grand tower or dome. This tower is thirty-six feet wide, and of the same proportions as the one in the west end, facing the sunken garden.

The rear or east end is beautified by twin semi-circular turrets, which have their duplicates in the west end, except that they are somewhat more elongated, while a tower similar to the one including the main entrance symmetrizes the palace on the opposite side. It is in the latter tower or wing that the stage, 36 by 36, is located, with the pretty cascade in the rear, and this commands the view of the main auditorium and balconies, with its seating capacity of from 4,000 to 6,000. On either side of the main room are the spaces above and below for the exhibits of the thirty counties which are to interest themselves this season.

☞ Everything can go up in this world but water; so you must never expect to see it above its level.

THE HAUGHTY HOUSE OF HAPSBURG.

The Empress of Austria's Palace at Corfu—Aladdin's Splendor Eclipsed.

"Achilleon" is the name given to the magnificent palace which has just been completed by the Empress Elizabeth of Austria at Corfu, and which is certainly the most perfect and luxurious dwelling imaginable.

"Achilleon" lies in the olive valley of Gasturi, surrounded by superb grounds, which are all the year round a mass of fragrant blossoms, and shaded by dense rows of palm and blue gum trees. The house looks like a huge jewel glittering in the golden light of the eastern sun. It is constructed in the most ornate Pompeiian style—the walls of pink Ferrara marble, adorned with groups of beautiful mosaics, and the flat roof enclosed by an elaborately carved balustrade.

Behind the villa is a very extensive parterre of roses, artistically laid out, embracing 25,000 varieties, the whole unique and priceless collection enclosed by a trellised walk, covered with noisette, banksia and nyphetus roses. The gardens and park descend in sloping terraces to the sea, where a flight of steps of pink marble leads down to a private harbor. A lighthouse, also built of marble, and furnished with an enormous electric lamp, throws its dazzling rays over the waters and on the surrounding woods.

A sea wall of pink marble, crowned with vases of majolica filled with aloe plants, separates the grounds from the rippling dark blue waves. The villa or, rather, the palace contains 128 rooms, and the stables have accommodations for 50 horses.

From the windows of her Majesty's boudoir and sleeping-apartment the view is magnificent, reaching far away to where the mountains of Cyprus and Albania tower into the sky.

All the rooms of the palace are furnished with the exquisite taste always displayed by the Empress in all interior arrangements. Almost all the carpets, rugs, tapestries and lamps were purchased by Elizabeth in Morocco and Tunis, while the marvelous frescoes with which the walls are decorated are the work of the celebrated Italian painters, Veruni, Paliorte and Pasuglione.

This delightful and truly regal abode—of course not including the treasures of art which adorn the spacious picture-gallery—has already cost over $8,000,000, and the Empress has just sailed from Miramar on board her yacht for the purpose of taking up her residence in her princely mansion.

A Pigeon Saves a Life.

San Francisco Examiner.]

An incident occurred recently in the family of Mr. G. F. Marsh, member of the Pacific Coast Pigeon Society, that proved to him in a most impressive manner the valuable services which may sometimes be rendered by the carrier pigeon, and probably explains some of his enthusiasm in that direction.

His little boy was suddenly taken sick with most alarming symptoms of diphtheria. The mother, watching by the bedside of the little one, dispatched a message tied on a carrier pigeon to her husband at his store on Market street. In the message she wrote of the child's alarming illness, and made urgent appeal for medicine to save its life.

The bird was started from the Cliff House, five miles from Mr. Marsh's Market street store, and flew directly thither. Mr. Marsh having received it, read the message, called a doctor, explained the child's symptoms as his wife had detailed them in her message, and received the proper medicine. Then, tying the little vial containing the medicine to the tail of the pigeon, he let it go.

The pigeon sped away through the air straight for the Cliff. It made the distance, five miles, in ten minutes—a distance which would have required the doctor three-quarters of an hour to cover. In twenty minutes from the time the mother's message was sent to her husband the baby was taking the medicine.

Naturally enough Mr. Marsh is partial to pigeons, for he considers that he owes his baby's life to one.

How Calico Got Its Name.

The derivation of this word is very interesting, as of such an ancient date is its origin. Mrs. Leonowens says in her "Travels in India" that in the year 1498, just ten months and two days after leaving the port at Lisbon, Vasco da Gama landed on the cost of Malabar at Calicut, or Kale Rhoda, "City of the Black Goddess." Calicut was at that period not only a very ancient seaport but an extensive territory, which, stretching along the western coast of Southern India, reached from Bombay and the adjacent islands to Cape Comorin. It was at an early period so famous for its weaving and dyeing of cotton cloth that its name became identified with the manufactured fabric; hence the name calico. It is now generally admitted that this ingenious art originated in India in remote ages, and from that country found its way into Egypt.

It was not until the middle of the seventeenth century that calico printing was introduced into Europe. A knowledge of the art was acquired by some of the servants of the Dutch East India company, and carried to Holland, whence it was introduced into London in the year 1676. It is surprising for grown-up children, as well as our young folks, to learn that "Pliny as early as the first century mentions in his natural history that there existed in Egypt a wonderful method of dyeing white cloth." Calico cannot be despised when it boasts of such antiquity. The shoddy make-up of the present day may look down with contempt upon the calico dress, but "what kind of lineage has it?" the calico can proudly ask.

The Sarcophagus of Emperor Frederick.

The sarcophagus of the late Emperor Frederick, in the mausoleum which adjoins Friedenskirche, weighs ten tons, and is a single block of spotless white marble; it arrived at Potsdam about a fortnight ago from Carrara. On the lid is a recumbent effigy of the emperor, who is represented as in a cuirassier's uniform, reposing on a mantle, and wearing a chain of the Order of the Black Eagle. His hands are folded over a laurel wreath. The coronation mantle is adorned with a crown and eagles. A monogram hides the feet, and two eagles with outspread wings guard the head.

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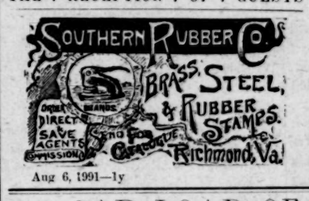

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Sep. 3, 1891. tf

Notice of Sale under Mortgage.

By virtue of the power and authority given by a certain deed of mortgage, executed by G. A. Thomson and wife, which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Cumberland County, in Book "I," No. 4, page 224, Book "L," No. 4, page 14, Book "N," No. 4, page 245, the following property will be exposed to sale by public auction, viz: The House and Lot on Haymount on the north side of Hay street, commonly known as "The Hale Property." See description in said mortgages.
Place of sale: Market House in Fayetteville, N. C.
Time of sale: Saturday, Nov. 28, 1891, at 11 o'clock.
Terms of sale: Cash.
N. W. RAY, Att'y.
Oct. 29, 1891—ts

Commissioner's Sale.

In pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, made at the July 1891 Term, in a cause therein pending, entitled H. W. Lilly and R. T. Gray, executors, against W. T. Fisher, administrator and others, we will, on Monday, the 7th day of December, 1891, at 12 o'clock M., at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., sell at public auction, a certain tract of land on the east side of Cape Fear River near Fayetteville, formerly belonging to H. C. Fisher, deceased, containing 44 acres more or less, and particularly described in a mortgage deed executed by said H. C. Fisher to E. J. Lilly and recorded in Book "I," No. 4, page 429, Register of Deeds Office for Cumberland County.
Terms of sale, one third of purchase price *cash*, balance in three equal installments at six, twelve and eighteen months, deferred payments to draw interest at 8 per cent. per annum.
N. W. RAY,
R. T. GRAY,
nov. 5, 1891—ts Commissioners.

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Aug. 13, 1891—tf

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THE OBSERVER.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., NOV. 12, 1891.

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THE CUMBERLAND FAIR.

Unequaled Success—A Grand Exhibition—Gov Holt's Fine Address—An Immense, Well-Behaved Crowd—Exciting Races—Varied Entertainments and Amusements.

Benign providence didn't seem to be "agin" us this year; for, while it blew the dust in our eyes, it spared us the typical "Centennial flood"—and from Tuesday afternoon until Saturday morning the annual holiday of the upper Cape Fear disported itself in gala attire in all its glory.

The fair was formally opened at noon on Wednesday by his Excellency the Governor of North Carolina, and those who today have the pleasure of reading Governor Holt's masterly address will agree with us that it is well worthy of its prominent place in our columns.

On Thursday the great crowd of the week—estimated at from 6,000 to 8,000—besieged the gates, blockaded the entrances with long strings of vehicles and files of pushing pedestrians, and overflowed the grounds—a merry, chattering, hurrying crush of humanity, thronging the exhibition, and massing themselves on the grand stand, where the pretty women in their brilliant plumage looked like Birds of Paradise in coveys; and all made the "field white unto the harvest" for the side-showmen, who—in tones of vociferous eloquence to pierce the never-ending din, of indignant remonstrance at the incredulity of the customer, and of moving appeal to the hesitating and almost persuaded bystander—besought all the universe to take notice that Bogardus and Dr. Carver were not "in it" in glass-ball shooting; that the headless woman and the two-armed calf were making their positively last appearance prior to retirement to the luxury of private life; that a "shy" at the monkey was only 5 cents (cruelty to animals); that they were all prizes and no blanks; and that the Coney Island sausage was even then a-sizzing in the pan:—the while the clanging bell was calling the horses to bound upon the track and toss their blankets off, the "merry-go round" was in a constant whirl, with "Jack Trout" riding by his sweetheart's side, and a squalling baby in the chariot behind, and the great swelling balloon on the *campus* was straining its bonds, and reaching toward the upper air, as if spurning the gaping crowd below.

On Friday the attendance was remarkably good—as full as that on Thursday at some previous fairs. It was Alliance day, and great disappointment was expressed at the failure to be present of Mr. Marion Butler, President of the State Alliance. In a conversation with Mr. A. D. McGill on the Tuesday previous Mr. Butler intimated his intention certainly to fill his appointment, and unforeseen circumstances will explain his absence.

Better racing than we had last week has never been enjoyed at any county fair in North Carolina. The best three in five trotting heat on Friday afternoon was especially exciting, and the side-betting was very spirited. "Little Pete" was an universal favorite for his pluck and steadiness; and, although he lacked the speed of the gray and the black, the crowd's sympathies were with him, all the same.

Prof. Jules Boquet, the aeronaut, won golden opinions by his grace, skill and daring, and we heartily commend him to the confidence of managers of exhibitions wherever he may go. Amid the plaudits of thousands he made three ascensions, with parachute descents, all giving unqualified satisfaction.

With so big a fair, Chief Marshal W. B. Draughon's post was no sinecure; but, with the cooperation of his excellent assistants, his management was admirable. Besides being president of the fair, he has held this position repeatedly, and knows just when to be firm, when to avoid friction, and when to "pour oil on the troubled waters."

Capt. Jas. D. McNeill, chief of police, was once or twice obliged to deal summarily with the gamblers; but, thanks to his unceasing vigilance, the good order was remarkable, and he, Capt. Flowers, Sergt. Maultsby and their special police have the consciousness of duty well done.

It is impossible to submit the premium list to our readers until next week; but the reporter (who, ever since tender childhood, has been nothing if not Washingtonianly truthful, and whose judgment may be implicitly relied on) made good use of his pencil and note-book, and gives the following specially meritorious articles in the different departments:

FLORAL HALL.

The women of the Cape Fear and Pee Dee sections have never yet failed the Cumberland fair, and this year they have distanced all competitors in the beauty, variety and extent of their exhibition.

It is not invidious (on account of her unusual advantages in instruction) to say that the art exhibit of Mrs. J. A. Hodges surpasses any other ever offered at our expositions. Were it not that good fortune and domestic ease preclude the need of yoking Pegasus to the treadmill of professional work, Fayetteville would have cause to feel great pride in the world's recognition of the talent of her charming adopted daughter. In every exquisite little bit of landscape from the brush of Mrs. Hodges there breathes the poetic soul of the true artist—rich and cultured fancy in the leaping torrent, fresh, exuberant life in the green curtain of the forest and the varied tints of the vale's rich carpet, and the painstaking, practiced work of the drawing-pencil on canvas. The child's and the old man's heads are remarkable "studies," from every lineament of the speaking portrait woman's beauty woos you with its charm, and the screen work is a *chef d'œuvre* of delicate skill. The rhododendron frames exhibited in this collection are beautiful.

Beautiful exhibits in painting were also made by Misses Robbie Hall, Rosa McIver, Hattie Moore, Lottie Watson, Janie Kyle, Blanche Thornton, Lottie Thornton, Georgie Worth, Eva Bryan, Jennie Fisher, Lettie Rosenthal, Janie McDiarmid, Mamie McDuffie, Lou Carver, Carrie Hawley, Alice Hawley, Maggie Rose, Mrs. M. McD Williams, Mrs. H. A. London and Miss Alice Pemberton (beautiful etching).

Mrs. John M. Rose made a magnificent display of 57 pieces of hand-painted china of exquisite workmanship, and there was a very fine similar exhibition by Mrs. Hodges—especially the Worcester. The tapestry of Miss Bell was exquisite. She is an artist of rare merit and enviable reputation, and was the instructress of our own accomplished Miss Maggie Pemberton, who also had a beautiful piece of tapestry on exhibition. The other important exhibitors in Floral Hall were Mrs. Freeman, of Goldsboro (the finest and most extensive display of all), Mesdames A. R. Carter, N. W. Ray, W. Watson, W. B. LaFar, N. L. Ray, M. B. Martin, J. F. Martin, Roger Moore, Wilmington, F. L. George, R. M. Nimocks, W. F. Parker, D. M. McDonald, Mary J. Pemberton, Emily Ree, C. P. Hill, M. L. Jenkins, E. L. Clark, M. N. Brower, W. B. Draughon; Misses Clara Carter, Minnie Johnson, Lottie Watson, Kate B. Smith, Mary E. Johnson (splendid), Maggie Whitehead, Kate Mitchell, Sallie Moore, Maggie Ellison, Lillie Slocomb (excellent), Addie Nimocks, Alice Jessup, Belle Cashwell, Ida Sutton, Sallie London, Nellie Hollingsworth, Minerva Sanders, Lena Stewart, Addie Chandler, Emma Thames, Ida Rankin, Janette Bosthwick, Nellie Coleman, Mary Butler; fine display penmanship from Siler City School; magnificent floral exhibit from Sunny Side Nursery and Mrs. Jno. D. Brown; the work of J. T. Winburn, the photographer, was the theme of universal admiration for skill and exquisite finish, and Miss Gracie Barker's lovely picture was the central figure of the whole fine display.

In last issue we made mention of the elegant exhibition by the Pemberton Music and Sewing Machine House, superintended by Mr. Jno. H. Robinson, Jr., and it merited all our praise, the display being made in faultless taste, and embracing an unrivaled collection of the finest instruments, with beautiful paintings, fancy work, etc.

PANTRY AND DAIRY SUPPLIES.

Mrs. John M. Martin heads the goodly procession of exhibitors in this department with a magnificent display of 84 articles, comprising every possible household delicacy, and a waiter of these dainties gave the OBSERVER office practical demonstration of their excellence. She has crowned her housewifery with honor, and has won great encomiums from the public.

Miss Emma Thames (always one of the most substantial helpers and valued exhibitors at the fair) had a remarkably fine exhibit; also Mrs. M. N. Brower (2nd premium on butter), of Randolph; Mrs. N. W. Ray, jelly and peaches; Misses Minnie Johnson, Annie Ray, Sallie Whitfield (fine), Mary Ray, Kate B. Smith, Estelle Martin, Mary Alice Woodward (20 very excellent entries), Janet Whitehead, Annie Ellison, Maggie Ellison, R. A. Hodges, Kate O'Hanlon, Mary C. Ayer (very good), Alice Pemberton (fine cake), Maggie Cade, Caro Hawley, Callie McKethan (excellent), Rachel Rogers, Selina Thomson (good), Mary Carter; Mesdames R. M. Nimocks (excellent display), J. M. Worth, D. M. O'Hanlon (extensive and good), S. G. Ayer (one of the best), J. A. Lambeth, A. S. Huske (fine bread), J. A. Tomlinson, D. A. McMillan, C. S. Holmes, J. B. Smith, H. P. Davis, G. A. Burns, McNeill, E. S. Sanders, J. D. Brown; Messrs. W. J. Nance, Palmer Martin, Wm. Alderman.

FARMERS' HALL.

He would be hard to please who could not spend an hour delightfully and profitably in Farmers' Hall, where the prominent exhibitors were: W. H. Wade (very fine display), J. M. Pearce, Wm. Pearce, W. C. Fields, Griffin & Trogden, Jno. P. McLean, A. J. Woodward, W. B. Draughon, E. S. Saunders, J. E. Flowers, C. S. Holmes, D. J. Baldwin, A. D. McGill, J. C. Jackson (a lad—very creditable), R. Smith, W. Alderman, W. L. Williams, Holt & Holmewood (always the fair's supporters), J. S. Breece. H. P. Davis, James Thames (the most extensive in the hall), Hote & Horner, Alex. McNeill, B. Q. Neill, J. C. Johnson, Wallace Sutton, W. E. Plummer, E. L. Clark, Mrs. A. A. McKethan, Archie Brown, Loyd McLean, J. W. Perry, J. C. King.

LIVE STOCK.

This department was not full, but there were some excellent exhibits, and among the best were those offered by: W. F. Campbell, J. H. Pearce, J. R. Luther, G. T. Cade, W. Fields, T. R. Bullard, J. T. Martin, H. McSwain, Tomlinson & Byrd, E. Pomeroy, D. McD. Grady, S. D. Black, N. Ingram, T. L. Emery (fine), Holt & Holmewood, N. McArthur, Wiley Godwin, Wade Saunders, Chas. McLauchlin, W. A. King, J. S. Evans, G. A. Burns, J. Marshall Williams, J. B. McCleary.

FIELD CROPS.

In this department the reporter noted a fine display of articles from the following planters: A. D. McGill, Jno. P. McLean, H. A. McSwain, J. & O. Evans, E. S. Saunders, J. E. Flowers, James Thames, J. A. McDonald.

ORCHARD AND VINEYARD PRODUCTS.

James M. Pearce (fine exhibition all through), G. W. Lawrence, P. P. Barge, J. B. Butler, Noel Gainey, W. B. Jackson, W. J. Nance, Jas. B. Huske, A. C. Monroe, D. G. K. Foust, J. S. Breece (16 varieties; his Keiffer pears and Japanese persimmons are wonderful; we always like to learn from Mr. Breece as well as enjoy his exhibits, for he is one of the best informed fruit growers in the State, and last week gave us an interesting history of the Sheldon pear, which he rates high—as hardly inferior to the Keiffer), J. W. Perry (a magnificent collection of fruit, around which a crowd was thronged in admiration every day of the fair); Mesdames A. H. Slocomb, T. J. Levy, R. M. Nimocks, M. N. Brower, James McGilvary, D. M. O'Hanlon, S. G. Ayer, J. A. Lambeth; Misses Emma Thames, Josie Moore, Maude Moore.

POULTRY.

The coops were full of very fine fowls, of which the chief and most deserving exhibitors were: E. W. Smith, Wiley Godwin, Jack Gaster, W. M. Davis, A. M. Campbell, Jr., J. D. Pearce, R. S. Pearce, M. G. Redmond, W. C. Fields, W. H. H. Wade, J. M. Williams, W. H. Davis, Edwin Cole, D. N. McLean, N. Ingram, G. H. Macon, R. Smith, H. Ivey, S. H. Cotton, Jno. Bruner, J. W. Nance, W. B. Jackson, D. B. Culbreth, A. C. Monroe, G. M. McQueen, Eugene Watson, Mrs. M. J. Moore (very fine), Misses A. H. Ellison, M. E. Ellison (excellent).

CARRIAGES, MACHINERY, ETC.

Splendid samples of brick and drain tile by E. A. Poe; excellent display by Fayetteville Cedar Works; W. M. Breeden, cotton-stalk cutter; J. A. Burns, handsome single buggy; very beautiful exhibition by the Huske Hardware House, and interesting display by McMillan Bros.

HOPE MILLS.

The Hope Mills exhibit, under the supervision and direction of Messrs. Cotten & Gadsby, was the centre of industrial attraction and the subject of unstinted praise from every passerby. Representing the different stages of cotton manufacturing, with nearly two hundred various styles of fabrics on exhibition, it occupied a commanding position in Floral Hall, where it was viewed by thousands, and admired by all. Indeed, it was such an exhibit as did honor to the fair, and reflected credit on the liberal management of the Hope Mills Manufacturing Company, the details of which the reporter could not find room in this issue to elaborate on.

FURNITURE.

Messrs. Sheetz & Sons, and Royall & Borden, Fayetteville's furniture dealers, had very attractive exhibits at the fair.

ADDRESS

of Governor Holt before the Cumberland County Agricultural and Mechanical Society November 4, 1891.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Under our mode of government it is natural that from time to time, at the various gatherings of the people, they should request the attendance of those to whom their public affairs have been entrusted: to hear from them of the signs of the times, and to receive the assurances of their interest in whatever concerns the common welfare.

I repeat that this is only right and proper. But when you consider the great development of North Carolina, her immense and ever growing expansion, the remarkable diversity of her crops, the rapid rise of industries of varied kinds, and the enterprise and activity that have awakened within her borders in every line of educational and social advancement, you will perceive some of the reasons for the incessant call upon the time and thoughts and services of your chief magistrate.

During the few months I have been in office I have been called upon to formally open the Soldiers' Home; then an address at the Orphan Asylum, which receives its share of your annual taxation, and should have the public care; then an address before the *alumni* of your time-honored University, which has claims upon us all; next the great army of teachers of the State, in their annual assembly, had to be addressed and thanked for their great labors; the State Guard had to be reviewed and addressed at their annual encampment; then it was a great gathering of the farmers of the southern tier of our counties, among the grand old Scotch of Robeson, who were desiring my presence at their annual fair; then my own, my native Alliance, demanded an address from me at their farmers' institute; the good people of Cabarrus came in with their demands; soon to be followed by a duty I owed not only to my own State but to all the Southern States, to open the Southern Inter State Exposition, now being held at the capital of our State—destined, I trust, to attract skill and money and industry to an extent yet undreamed of, by its presentation of the grand opportunities of North Carolina; then the good people of Burke insisted on my presence at their annual county fair; now I am here, in obedience to your wishes, to say something to you appropriate to the occasion.

To speak frankly, my fellow-citizens, if your Governor should attempt, in person, to respond to the kind and pressing invitations to visit the numerous institutions, and attend the public demonstrations, often of more than local importance, and always interesting to every lover of his State, it would be impossible to discharge the many delicate duties of the office to which, in the dispensation of Providence, he has been called. It is therefore often necessary to decline with regret the most courteous invitations, on the most important occasions, as I at first thought I would have to do in your case. I am, however, glad to say that at the request of your managers I am here to-day to deliver an address before your association, which seems to be customary with all similar associations of this day. I come not as an orator, expecting to electrify you with fancy pictures, or entertain you with flowers of eloquence, but I come, as I am, a plain country farmer, manufacturer and mechanic, which pursuits I have been engaged in since my maturity.

Being a farmer and manufacturer for the past forty years, I hope you will not consider me presumptuous when I say that I think I know something of both, and the effects of one upon the other, and as you all know as much or more than I do about raising corn and cotton and other farm products I have thought it best to say something to-day about the *effects* and *advantages* of manufacturing to *farmers*. The great want of North Carolina to-day is (I mean for her farmers) a home market for the products of the farm, and I propose to show that this market can only be obtained by diversified industries, calling men from the farms to the forge, machine shops and a thousand other enterprises which would flourish in this, the greatest State of the American Union (the only State which ever has filled every column in the census blanks), thus making them consumers of the various things raised on the farm, and not the farmer's competitor in producing them.

For twelve years I served as President of your State Agricultural Society, bestowing of my time, means and what little of intellect I possessed to its interest, hoping that the annual fairs would prove beneficial to my countrymen, and I feel to-day fully compensated for all my cares and troubles connected with it, from the fact that I see its benefits throughout the State, and many counties, the progressive counties, among which is your good county, have adopted a system of county fairs with beneficial results. You will excuse me for asking why these associations are mostly styled agricultural associations, and suggesting that they be called agricultural and mechanical associations, believing as I do, and as I propose to show, that the mechanic is the life of the farmer, to a very great extent, as he is the consumer of his products, and furnishes him with implements and machinery without which he, the farmer, could not possibly compete with the farmers of other States and countries even less favored providentially.

I propose, therefore, to speak to you today of the advantage to be derived by the farmer from the establishment and promotion of manufacturing industries in our midst, which is only to repeat one of the plainest lessons of human experience.

More than a century ago Adam Smith, the great author of the science of political economy, expressed this truth: "The greatest and most important branch of the commerce of every nation is that which is carried on between the inhabitants of the town and those of the country. The inhabitants of the town draw from the country the produce which constitutes both the materials of their work and the fund of their subsistance, and they pay for this produce by sending back to the country a certain portion of it manufactured and prepared for immediate use. Whatever tends to diminish in any country the number of artificers and manufacturers tends to diminish the home market, the most important of all markets, for the rude produce of the land, and thereby to discourage agriculture." These are words of truth and wisdom, and I propose to point out the intimate relation between the farming and the manufacturing interests of our land, and how necessary each is to the true prosperity of the other.

The question is the same for the State at large as for the private individual, since what we wish to know is what is the best application of the aggregate industry of a people that can be made honestly to produce the largest sum of natural wealth. Labor is the source of all wealth, but we have to observe that this is true, even in a high degree, of skilled labor and its appropriate machinery. It is plain if wealth is the result of labor, and labor is valuable in proportion to its special skill, that the general welfare of any community must depend upon a favoring diversity of its industries, because it is only through this means that employment can be found for all the different abilities, by nature or education, of the great variety of individuals composing that community. This reads like a very abstract and dry proposition in economics. But as a penalty for the neglect of so plain a truth countries have dwindled in strength and influence, wars have been waged in vain, nations have been decimated by famine, and the history of mankind filled with the sad mistakes and follies of statesmen.

If everybody in North Carolina made corn only we should have nothing but corn to offer the world in exchange for the multitudinous articles that human comfort requires. What, then, would be our condition should the crop fail, on the one hand, or should the world be so well supplied with corn as not to need our product, except at rates inadequate to pay for our purchases? Famine might be apprehended in the first case, and poverty in the last. Both have always hung their dark shadows over all States that were entirely agricultural or approaching thereto.

The illustration cited is an extreme one, but it proclaims a general truth. No one would advocate, in the midst of this magnificent territory of ours, ready to yield cheerfully any product of the Temperate Zone, that all should cultivate one crop. We must go further and see how great is the need of other industries than farming itself, and that the more they are multiplied the greater the opportunity of the farmer to sell his products; yes, and to sell those products in the best of all markets—at home—free from the exactions of the middle-man, or the loss involved in distant transportation.

Las Casas reports, in his journal of the conversations of Napoleon at St. Helena, that that wonderful genius declared that his policy was to encourage in France: "First, agriculture—the soul, the first basis of the empire; second, industry (meaning manufacturers)—the comfort and happiness of the population; third, foreign trade—the superabundance, the application of the surplus of agriculture and industry." He was proud of the fact that the English could suggest no improvement in the agriculture of France when they entered it after Waterloo. He declared that the application of chemistry to manufactures, under his encouragement, had given an impulse to industry that extended to all Europe. With emphasis he was wont to say that "foreign trade is made for agriculture and home industry, and not the two latter for the former." Alas! for how many years has North Carolina lived but to produce one or two articles for foreign trade, regardless of the vicissitudes of supply and demand, and the yet greater inroads of speculation.

It is an incontrovertible truth that a purely agricultural people is without the capital or the diversified pursuits essential to the highest development of the art of tillage itself. Compare the superb agriculture of Belgium, whose manufactures are also so extensive as to keep in employment the densest population to the square mile to be found on the globe, with the scanty returns of Ireland or of Russia. The lesson can be learned in few words. Capital is the result of labor, saved from loss or waste. The man who spends all and saves none cannot grow rich. It is precisely what can be saved, when the farmer is next door to the consumer, that will gradually enrich that farmer.

(Concluded next week.)

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The Hair- and Tooth-brushes, Combs, Soaps, Perfumes and Flavoring Extracts at HORNE'S DRUG STORE will be appreciated if tried.

Execution Sale.

By virtue of an execution to me directed from the Superior Court of New Hanover County, N. C., and in accordance with a decree of said Court made at September Term, 1891, in a case in which R. W. Hicks is plaintiff and W. S. Owen is defendant, I will sell at public auction the following personal property levied upon by me as the property of said W. B. Owen, viz: One Turpentine Still, one Worm, one Cap and one set of Grate-bars, all in good condition. The capacity of the still kettle is about 15 barrels—the proceeds to be applied towards the payment of a judgment for $303.05 interest and costs in the above entitled case.

Place of sale: Market-House, Fayetteville.

Time of sale: Monday, November 16th, 1891, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Terms: Cash.

J. B. SMITH, Sheriff of Cumberland County.

H. McD. ROBINSON, Plaintiff's Att'y.

Oct. 30, 1891. 1t

FAYETTEVILLE MARKET.

N. C. BACON—		FODDER,	85
Hog Round,	10	HIDES—	
Sides,	9	Flint—good,	6
Hams,	15	Flint—damaged,	5
WEST. BULK MEATS—		Dry Salt,	7
Sides,	7½	Green,	3
Shoulders.	6½	IRON—	
WESTERN BACON—		American,	3
Sides,	9	Swedes,	5@6
Hams,	15	LARD—	
Shoulders,	6½@8	N. Carolina,	11
BAGGING,	@7	Western,	9
BEEF—		LEATHER—	
On foot,	3	Upper, country,	35@40
Dressed,	5@6	Sole, Hemlock,	25@27
BEESWAX,	22	Harness, c'ntry,	25@30
BUTTER—		MOLASSES,	25@40
North Carolina,	20@25	NAILS—	
Northern,	30@40	(12d basis),	2.50
COFFEE—		PORK—	
Java,	30	Fresh,	5@6
Rio,	20@00	Mess,	(None.)
COTTON YARN,	85@95	POTATOES—	
COTTON TIES,	1.40	Sweet—new,	40
CHICKENS,	15@25	Irish—o	1.90
EGGS	18	SALT,	95
FLOUR—		SUGARS—	
N. C. Family,	2.75	Coffee.	5
West. Fam.,	5.00@6.00	Granulated,	6
CORN MEAL—	85	SHEETINGS,	5½
GRAIN—		SHUCKS,	50
Corn—new.	65	TALLOW,	5
Oats	50@55	WOOL,	18
Rye,	125	SPIRITS—	
Peas,	70	Corn Whisky,	175@2.00
HAY—		Rye Whisky,	1.75@2.00
N. Carolina,	40@60	Ap. Brandy,	1.75@3.00
Northern,	90	Peh Brandy,	1.75@3.00

Fayetteville Cotton and Naval Stores Market

Corrected by the Fayetteville Cotton Exchange

Good Middling..... 7½
Middling..... 7¼
Strict Low Middling..... 7

Turpentine, $2.20 to $2.60 per barrel

NAVAL STORES.—Spirits 31 cents

Rosin was steady, prices ranging at 1.00.

Wilmington Market.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 10

COTTON.—Cotton steady, with sales on a basis of 7¼ cents for Middling.

SPIRITS TURPENTIE.—The market steady at 32½ cents per gallon.

TAR—Firm $1.75.

ROSIN.—The market quoted firm at $1.10 per bbl. for Strained and $1.15 cents for Good Strained.

TURPENTINE (Crude) Distillers quote the market firm at $1.00 for Virgin, $1.90 for Yellow Dip and 1.00 for Hard.

Commissioner's Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, made at July Term, 1890, in the case of N. W. Ray vs. W. T. Fisher, Administrator, and the heirs of H. C. Fisher, dec'd, I will, on Monday, December 7th, 1891, at 12 o'clock, at the Market House in Fayetteville, sell by public auction, for cash, that tract of land on the east side of Cape Fear River, above Clarendon Bridge, containing about 190 acres, as referred to in a mortgage by H. C. Fisher to N. W. Ray, registered in Book "P," No. 4, page 26. W. T. FISHER, Adm'r and Commissioner.

nov. 5, 1891—ts

WRIGHT'S.

The Cafe on Green Street is now open for the reception of guests—the building repainted and refitted, the table service new and elegant, and polite and trained waiters in attendance. At

Wright's Cafe

the best OYSTERS and other viands, in season, will be served in the best style.

At Wright's Cafe

the stranger in town for a few hours, or the business man too hurried to go home, can get LUNCH and HOT COFFEE at all hours.

Oct. 22, 1891. tf

WANTED,

A GOOD COOK. White preferred. Apply to Drawer H, care of the OBSERVER, Fayetteville, N. C.

Oct. 1, 1891. tf

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—GO TO—

WILLIAMS'S

BIG RACKET STORE.

Annual Fall Exhibition of

New Dress Goods,

MILLINERY

—AND—

NOVELTIES

—IN ALL THE LATEST AND NEWEST DESIGNS.—

Elegant Display of the Beautiful Productions of Industry and Art.

CALL AND SECURE A FIRST PRIZE BARGAIN IN

Chiffon Lace 40c. per yard.

Gents' Pumps $1.25.

Buggy Robes from $3.00 upwards.

GRAND EXHIBITION of OIL PAINTINGS.

WE HAVE ON EXHIBITION A NUMBER OF OIL PAINTINGS BY A WELL-KNOWN ARTIST, WHICH WE WILL OFFER AT VERY LOW FIGURES.

This well-known Artist has arrived, and this week only will exhibit his marvelous skill in our

SHOW WINDOWS.

CALL AND SEE US.

Mail Orders Given Prompt Attention.

November 12, 1891.

Fall and Winter Good

—AT—

WALTER WATSON'S.

Fire Dogs, Fire Shovels and Tongs. Meat Cutters, Sausage Stuffers.

Sporting Goods

—AT—

WALTER WATSON'S.

BREECH-LOADING GUNS. MUZZLE-LOADING GUNS.

Rifles—32 Cal.; Rifles—38 Cal.; Rifles—Remington; Rifles—Winchester.

SHOT, POWDER, CAPS, SHELLS, CARTRIDGES, WADS.

Agent for Terracotta Chimney Flue and Stove Pipe.

LAFLIN AND RAND POWDER. FAIRBANK'S SCALES.

October 22, 1891—tf

POPULAR TASTE

——HAS SET THE SEAL OF ITS APPROVAL UPON——

- ANTIQUE OAK -

as being in every sense the most elegant and the most beautiful of all modern finishes in medium and fine FURNITURE, and we would ill-deserve the enviable place we hold to-day as the

LEADING FURNITURE HOUSE

of the Cape Fear section, did we fail to cater to the popular taste, and thus conserve our own interest. We have on exhibit in our show-rooms the handsomest and most elegant line of

ANTIQUE CHAMBER SUITES,
ANTIQUE PARLOR SUITES,
ANTIQUE PARLOR AND LIBRARY CABINETS,
ANTIQUE BOOK-CASES,
ANTIQUE PARLOR AND EXTENSION TABLES,
ANTIQUE SIDEBOARDS,

ever shown here. Don't fail to see them.

S. SHEETZ & SONS.

Fayetteville, Oct. 22, 1891.

COTTON IS ON THE JUMP,

——BUT——

Furniture is Marked Down.

Our Entire Elegant Display of all Classes of

FURNITURE

——IS NOW OFFERED AT PRICES WHICH DEFY COMPETITION.——

We will not be undersold at home or abroad. Don't fail to see our immense stock; it will please you and save you money.

ROYALL & BORDEN,

Manufacturers of Mattresses and Chairs, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Furniture,

S. E. CORNER MARKET SQUARE,

Fayetteville, N. C.

Oct. 15, 1891.

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☞ All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

People and Their Movements.

Mr. H. A. Morrison, of Spout Spring, "took in" the fair last week.

We were glad to shake hands with Mr. Boney, of Wilmington, last week.

Miss Courts has been paying a visit of a few days to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Smith.

Mr. A. C. Brown, of Red Springs, was among the visitors to the fair last week.

We were glad to see our friend, Mr. D. Morrison, of Cameron, in town the other day.

Mr. Geo. W. Woodward, of Durham, has been making a visit to his relatives on Haymount.

Mr. J. C. Smith, one of Lumberton's most prominent merchants, was in the city last week.

Capt. W. S. Norment, of Lumberton, was one of the welcome visitors to the Cumberland Fair.

Dr. J. P. Brown, one of Robeson's prominent young physicians, spent a few days in Fayetteville during fair week.

It gave us much pleasure to meet Dr. and Mrs. Breeden of South Carolina, who were among the fair visitors last week.

Mr. W. W. McDiarmid of the *Robesonian* feasted his eyes on the wonders of the exhibition, and made us a pleasant visit while here.

Messrs. Hinton and Owen Love, of Wilmington, were cordially welcomed by their friends in Fayetteville during their last week's visit.

Misses Mollie and Sallie, the accomplished and charming daughters of Dr. R. A. Rozier, of Robeson, were in attendance on the fair.

Miss Nellie Norment, a lovely young lady of Lumberton, has been visiting Miss Augusta McKethan and Miss Mary Augusta Myrover, in this city.

Col. S. McD. Tate spent a few days here last week, the guest of Capt. N. W. Ray. We are glad to know that he enjoyed the fair, and thought the exhibition fine.

Col. F. W. Kerchner, of Wilmington, is always sure of a royal welcome when he comes to Fayetteville, and we are glad to know that he heartily enjoyed the fair last week.

Mr. J. H. Currie, of Wilmington, was among the visitors to the fair last week. He has just returned from the New England States, and saw much of the campaign in Massachusetts; he believes those people are being gradually converted to Jeffersonian Democracy.

List of Letters.

Following is the list of unclaimed letters remaining in the Fayetteville postoffice November 9th, 1891:

Wm. Baldin (2), J. B. Barrett, Henry Ballard, Annie H. Blake (col), James Brewer, Mary Bowden (col), Mrs. Carolina Brown, Mary M. Buxton, I. C. Brock, H. J. Carver, Annie Cameron, Dadline Curtis, Jennie Cameron, S. W. Dodd, Mrs. Sarah Elliott, Mary Faulk, Eliza Fairley, Jas. E. Finnegan, Mrs. Wiley Garding, G. W. Gready, T. T. Hackney, S. W. Hall, Rev. G. A. Lough, Sallie Hussey, Wm. Kelly, Francis Lane, J. G. Layton, Jr., Key Liey, Rebecca Lock, John Martin, James McKay, Jessy McCall, M. L. McRae, Nat McArthur, Mrs. Sallie Palmer, Lelia Parker, T. J. Parker, Joe J. Shields, Jeanney Smith, Robert Smith, M. A. Smith, Hon. R. H. Taylor, Ed Taylor, Jacob Thornton, S. J. Waldron, H. C. Weber, Dr. S. J. Weatherly, G. A. Williams (2), J. A. Williford, Joel Williams, Ned Williams.

Persons calling for above letters will say advertised. D. F. WEMYSS, P. M.

We Should Think So.

Henry Cabot Lodge, of force-bill notoriety, speaking of the result in Massachusetts, says:

"The significance of the result in Massachusetts is serious, after all allowances have been made for Governor Russell's great popularity. We shall have to fight as we never have fought to keep Massachusetts, as we can keep her, in the place she has always occupied in Presidential elections. The work for that end begins now. The first condition is that we should put aside all personal jealousies and factions, leave the past alone, and bend our energies to regaining the State completely."

North Carolina Knights Templar.

In connection with the day set apart for the benefit of the Oxford Orphan Asylum at the Southern Inter-State Exposition, which occurs on November 18th, it is proposed that the Knights Templar of the State join in a grand parade. Arrangements are now being made to carry out this purpose. The Masonic fraternity, who have never failed to respond to that noble charity, will doubtless be on hand in large numbers on that occasion.

Foreign News.

YOKOHOMA, Nov. 4.—The damage caused by the violent storm of September 14 was very serious in both life and property. It is now definitely known that 83 lives were lost and 3,700 houses destroyed; 780 vessels were carried out to sea or sunk. In addition, to this, great damage was caused to the crops. The loss to property is roughly estimated at $1,000,000.

Solid Southern Growth.

Manufacturers' Record.]

The business situation throughout the South continues to improve, and the outlook for the future is very promising. Speculative operations are not much favored, but the work of solid business development is commanding increased attention. Shrewd capitalists, realizing the intrinsic value of good mineral and timber properties, are making a number of purchases, and mainly for immediate development. In general industrial matters there is steady progress, and among the new enterprises reported for the week are a $100,000 water works company at Helena, Ark; acid and chemical works at Portsmouth, Va.; $250,000 development, mining and manufacturing company in Florida; a $50,000 and a $10,000 manufacturing company in West Virginia; a $20,000 knitting-mill company, Norfolk, Va.; a $30,000 compress company, Americus, Ga.; a$500,000 cartridge and powder company, Covington, Ky.; a rolling mill and a sash and door blind factory at Tyler, Texas; a 200-barrel flour mill, Baltimore; a $100,000 development company at Chester, S. C.; large lumber mill at Irvine, Ky.; a $200,000 general manufacturing company at New Orleans; a $1,000,000 ordnance company, Alexandria, Va.; $50,000 automatic sprinkler company, Columbus, Ga.; a $100,000 development company, Richmond, Va.; a 50-ton ice factory, Mobile, Ala., and one of the same size at Fort Smith, Ark.; refrigerator works, Hot Springs, Ark.; water works, La Grange, Ga.; tobacco factory, Greenville, N. C.; a $25,000 cotton seed oil and manufacturing company, Corsicana, Texas; a $100,000 electric light manufacturing company, Cumberland, Md., etc.

This summary shows a steady, solid growth all along the line, and indicates a very healthy development activity that promises well for the rapid increase in the progress and prosperity of the South.

The Motz Trial.

SHELBY, N. C., Nov. 6.—"Not guilty," was the verdict rendered in the Motz murder case this afternoon after the jury had deliberated for over five hours. At the request of Judge Graves no demonstration was made in the court-room, but as soon as the verdict was known a shout went up from the court green that could have been heard all over the town. As soon as the prisoners were delivered from custody they were escorted with a loud hurrah out where there was a general congratulation. All the members of the Motz family were called for, and the crowd, forming in line and with uncovered heads, shook hands and congratulated each one. The counsel for the defendants were called upon, and each made a few remarks amid the plaudits of the crowd, who also cheered the judge and jury, and gave a few groans for Michael.

This morning at 9 o'clock Solicitor Osborn resumed his argument, and concluded about 11, making a magnificent effort, when Judge Graves delivered an able and impartial charge to the jury, who took the case at 11:50 o'clock. At 4 o'clock they returned to have a part of the instruction repeated, and at 5:30 a verdict was rendered, and the tension of the public was relieved. At this hour the lobby of the hotel and streets are crowded with men, cannon are being fired on the court-house square, and loud cheers are rending the air.

First Blast Furnace in North Carolina.

GREENSBORO, November 5.—At 2 P. M. to-day a large crowd assembled at the furnace site of the North Carolina Steel and Iron Company to witness the laying of the corner-stone of the first blast furnace in North Carolina. Col Julian Carr introduced Rev J. Henry Smith, D. D., who made a fervent prayer in behalf of the new industry established in our midst. After the prayer Col. Carr in a short but eloquent talk introduced Governor Holt, the orator of the day. The Governor was at home among his audience. He spoke of the great importance of the industry being inaugurated in our midst. The reason North Carolina has not kept pace with other iron States has been the want of proper transportation. That want is now done away with, and there is no reason why our State may not rank favorably with other iron-producing States. The Governor closed with an exhortation to the company to avoid above all things the employment of foreign labor, which has already proved one of the greatest curses to our beautiful country. After the speech the corner-stone was laid by M. J. D. Case, who is general manager of the construction of the steel furnace. At the close of the ceremonies it was announced that a few choice lots of the company would be sold. The lots were sold quite reasonable, but the company stopped the sale after eight or ten had been taken.

Child Burned to Death.

RANDLEMAN, N. C., Nov. 4.—Mr. C. H. Horneday, a most worthy man, lost a little girl this morning at 2 o'clock from the effect of a burn received on Monday evening. Two of his little girls were playing in the dining-room, when Fannie, aged about 5 years, held a newspaper up the chimney. The newspaper fell into the fire-place where there was only a handful of coals, immediately caught fire, and was blown against the child's dress, which was perhaps already hot from standing near the fire, and quickly broke into a blaze, enveloping the whole person. The screams of the child caused Mrs. Horneday, who was in the house, to run to see what was the trouble. She caught the child and threw a bucket of water on her, putting out the fire—but not before the child was fatally burned. Mrs. Horneday's hands were also badly burned. This is the second child these good people have lost by fire.

Trinity College, N. C.

Efforts are being made by the friends of Trinity College to raise from $5,000 to $10,000 for the erection of a suitable building for the use of Trinity College, as a memorial in honor of the Rev. Dr. Braxton Craven, late President of Trinity College. This amount is to be paid in ten equal monthly instalments, beginning after the amount of $5,000 shall have been pledged, and a meeting of the subscribers thereof has been held, to determine definitely upon the plans of construction and purpose of the proposed building, and upon the amount to be expended in the erection of the same. Already $2,000 has been pledged and a little work done. Subscriptions should be sent to JOHN F. CROWELL, President Trinity College, N. C.

Two Men Killed.

HAMILTON, N. C., Nov. 4.—Edward Anthony, a young colored man, was found in the Roanoke river near Hamilton last week. A *post mortem* examination showed that he had been struck on the head three time with a club. The decision of the coroner's inquest was that he had been murdered and then thrown into the river. He was employed to cut wood in the swamp and had a companion who had disappeared. He had been dead several days when his body was found. Nick Foreman, another negro, was killed accidentally by a tree falling on him in the swamp a few days ago.

TIME OF HOLDING COURT

In the Twelve Districts of the State.

FIRST DISTRICT.

Spring—Judge Bryan. Fall—Judge Brown.
Beaufort—‡Feb 16, May 25, Nov 30.
Currituck—March 2, Sept 7.
Camden—March 10, Sept 24.
Pasquotank—March 16, Sept 21.
Perquimans—March 23, Sept 28.
Chowan—March 30, Oct 5.
Gates—April 6, Oct 12.
Hertford—April 13, Oct 19.
Washington—April 20, Oct 26.
Tyrrell—April 27, Nov 2.
Dare—May 4, Nov 9.
Hyde—May 11, Nov 16.
Pamlico—May 18, Nov 23.

SECOND DISTRICT.

Spring—Judge Connor. Fall—Judge Bryan.
Halifax—†March 2, May 12, ‡Nov 16,
Northampton—‡Jan 19, March 30, Oct 5.
Bertie—Feb 2, April 27, Nov 2.
Craven—†Feb 9, May 25, Nov 30.
Warren—March 16, Sept 21.
Edgecombe—April 13, Oct 19.

THIRD DISTRICT.

Spring—Judge Whitaker. Fall—Judge Connor.
Pitt—Jan 5, March 16, †June 8, Sept 21.
Franklin—Jan 11, April 13, Nov 6.
Wilson—‡Feb 2, June 1, Nov 2.
Vance—Feb 16, May 18, Oct 19.
Martin—March 2, Sept 7, Dec 7.
Nash—April 27, Nov 23.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

Spring—Judge Winston. Fall—Judge Whitaker.
Wake—*Jan 5, †Feb 28, *March 28, †April 21, *July 9, †Aug 27, *Sept 28, †Oct 26.
Wayne—Jan 19, March 10, April 13, Sept 14, Oct 19.
Harnett—Feb 2, Aug 10, Nov 30.
Johnston—Feb 9, Aug 17, Nov 16.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

Spring—Judge Boykin. Fall—Judge Winston.
Durham—Jan 12, Mar 23, June 1, Oct 19.
Granville—Jan 26, Apr 20, July 27, Nov 30.
Chatham—Feb 9, May 4, Oct 5.
Guilford—Feb 16, May 25, Aug 31, Dec 14.
Alamance—March 2, May 18, Nov 2.
Orange—March 16, Aug 10, Nov 9.
Caswell—April 6, Aug 17, Nov 16.
Person—April 13, Aug 24, Nov 23.

SIXTH DISTRICT.

Spring—Judge McIver. Fall—Judge Boykin.
Pender—March 9, Sept 14.
New Hanover—†Jan 19, †Apr 13, †Sep 28.
Lenoir—Feb 2, Aug 24, Nov 16.
Duplin—Feb 9, Aug 3, Nov 30.
Sampson—†Feb 23, April 27, Oct 12, Dec 14.
Carteret—March 16, Oct 26.
Jones—March 23, Nov 2.
Onslow—March 30, Nov 9.
Greene—March 30, Oct 5.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.

Spring—Judge Armfield. Fall—Judge McIver.
Columbus—Jan 12, March 30, Aug 3.
Anson—*Jan 5, †April 27, *Sept 7, †Nov 30.
Cumberland—Jan 19, †May 4, July 27, †Nov 16.
Robeson—Jan 26, *May 18, Oct 5.
Richmond—Feb 9, June 1, Sept 21, Dec 7.
Bladen—March 16, Oct 26.
Brunswick—April 16, Sept 14.
Moore—March 2, Aug 11, Nov 2.

EIGHTH DISTRICT.

Spring—Judge Graves. Fall—Judge Armfield.
Cabarrus—†Jan 26, April 27, Nov 2.
Iredell—Feb 2, May 18, Aug 10, Nov 9.
Rowan—Feb 16, May 4, Aug 24, Nov 23.
Davidson—March 2, Sept 7, †Dec 7.
Randolph—March 16, Sept 21.
Montgomery—March 30, Oct 5.
Stanly—April 6, Oct 19.

NINTH DISTRICT.

Spring—Judge Bynum. Fall—Judge Graves.
Rockingham—Jan 19, July 27, Nov 9.
Forsyth—Feb 2, May 18, Oct 26.
Yadkin—Feb 10, Sept 28.
Wilkes—March 2, Sept 14.
Alleghany—March 16, Sept 7.
Davie—March 30, Oct 12.
Stokes—April 13, Aug 10, Nov 16.
Surry—April 20, Aug 24, Nov 23.

TENTH DISTRICT.

Spring—Judge Hoke. Fall—Judge Bynum.
Henderson: Feb 9, July 20.
Burke: March 2, Aug 10.
Caldwell: March 16, Sept 7.
Ashe: March 23, May 25, Aug 24.
Watauga: April 16, Aug 31.
Mitchell—April 13, Sept 14.
Yancey—April 27, Sept 20.
McDowell—May 11, Oct 12.

ELEVENTH DISTRICT.

Spring—Judge Merrimon. Fall—Judge Hoke.
Catawba—Jan 12, July 20.
Alexander—Jan 26, Aug 3.
Union—*Feb 9, †Feb 16, *Sep 21, †Sep 28.
Mecklenburg—†Feb 23, *Aug 31.
Gaston—March 11, Oct 12.
Lincoln—March 30, Oct 5.
Cleveland—April 6, Aug 10, Oct 27.
Rutherford—April 20, Nov 2.
Polk—May 4, Nov 16.

TWELFTH DISTRICT

Spring—Judge Brown. Fall—Judge Merrimon.
Madison: Feb 23, Aug 3, †Nov 23.
Buncombe: †March 10, †Aug 17, †Dec 7.
Transylvania: March 30, Sept 7.
Haywood: April 6, Sept 14.
Jackson: April 12, Sept 28.
Macon: May 4, Oct 5.
Clay: May 11, Oct 12.
Cherokee: May 18, Oct 19.
Graham: June 1, Nov 2.
Swain: June 8, Nov 9.

* For criminal cases.
† For civil cases alone.
‡ For civil cases alone except in jail cases.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

I WISH TO CALL THE ATTENTION OF the people of this section to the fact that my mammoth Gin House will soon be completed, and will be equipped with the best 60-saw gin made; also feeder and condenser. The house is beautifully located on my farm, one-fourth of a mile north of Lee's Cross Roads—almost direct between here and Dunn, a fine cotton market. I will be able to gin your cotton in a few weeks, and you can take it on to town, and I will pay market price for your seed. I very kindly ask the people to give me their first bale, and should they not be satisfied I ask no more. I will gin for the 25th, and give your cotton every care in my power. My house will be well arranged for caring for several bales at once. Satisfaction guaranteed. I am yours very truly,

Aug. 27—tf. JOEL G. LAYTON, JR.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Reefers, Jackets, Wraps.

A nicely-fitting wrap adds greatly to the beauty and finish of a lady's outside dress.

I show this season the most beautiful line of wraps ever brought to Fayetteville. They were selected with great care, and the following are a few of the leading styles:

Three-Quarter Length Reefers in Serges, Wide Wales, Narrow Wales and Seal Plushes.

Jackets of every description. Long Wraps in Seal Plushes, and other popular goods. These goods are trimmed in all the

New and Stylish Designs,

and are guaranteed to please the most fastidious. My line of

Misses' and Children's Wraps

is extensive, and for beauty and general make-up cannot be excelled in any Southern city. I will offer these goods for

Fair Week at Special Prices.

Visitors and others will find it money saved to make their purchases within the next thirty days.

FRANK THORNTON.

Oct. 29—3t.

H. I. McDUFFIE,

General Insurance Agent,

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—REPRESENTING—

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The NEW YORK LIFE, of New York, Organized in 1845. Assets $116,000 000.

—AND OTHER—

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nov. 5, 1891. 3m

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Prices to suit the times.

Oct. 29, 1891. tf

NOTICE.

PROF. S. ROSS, the GERMAN OCULIST, of Danzig, Germany, has just arrived in Fayetteville with a large line of Spectacles and Eye-Glasses, and, with his experience and observation, hazards nothing in saying that he can fit with satisfaction the eyes of all. His stock consists of Brazilian, Australian, California, Alaska and Cape Diamond Pebbles. Satisfaction guaranteed in every instance. He also wishes to give notice to the public that all parties suffering with corns or warts can have the same removed by calling on him at his office at the residence of Mr. Mike Folb, opposite Masonic Lodge, at any hour during the day. Charges moderate. Examination of the eyes free to all. Old gold spectacles taken in exchange for new ones or repairs. Repairing done promptly.

☞ Twenty-two years experience.

Oct. 22, 1891. tf

Bank of Commerce.

The Books of Subscription to the capital stock of the Bank of Commerce are now open at each of the drug stores of the town. When $100,000 has been subscribed, the permanent organization will be effected. A copy of the very liberal charter will be furnished on application.

A. H. SLOCOMB,
N. W. RAY,
R. M. NIMOCKS,
E. L. PEMBERTON,
W. S. COOK.
Committee.

April 9, 1891—tf

D. R. HUFFINES,

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—AND—

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June 4, 1891—6m

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MRS. T. G. HALL,

Jan'y 29, 1891—tf

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March 5, 1891. tf

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He will attend the Courts, State and Federal, where his services may be required.

JAMES C. MacRAE.

Jan'y 1, 1891. tf

Pay Your Dog Tax.

All persons are notified that failure to pay the Dog Tax is a misdemeanor, and renders the dog liable to be killed.

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Oct. 15, 1891—tf

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Very respectfully,
G. A. THOMSON, Ag't of Equitable.

Mr. G. A. Thomson, Agent of the Equitable, Fayetteville, N. C.:

DEAR SIR:—Yours 19th noted. I would state that if you will examine under heading "Death Looses and Other Policy Claims Resisted" in the report of the New York Insurance Department for 1890, you will find:

By the Mutual Life,	86,755
By the Connecticut Mutual,	38,846
By the Ætna,	30,500
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Aug. 27—tf. W. J. RODDEY, Gen'l Agt.

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June 10, 1891—tf

SHUT UP YOUR COWS!

Notice is hereby given that from and after the 1st of October, 1891, it will be unlawful for any one to permit cows to run at large in Fayetteville.

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Sept. 24—tf.

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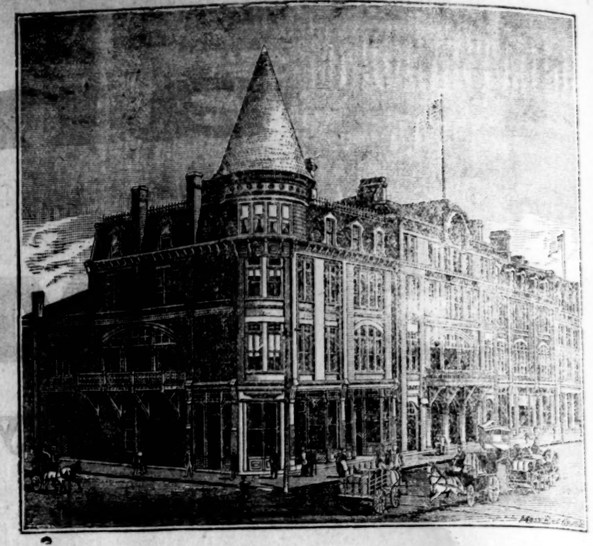

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January 15, 1891. 1y

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Rice,	Crackers,	Soda,	Starch.
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THE OBSERVER.

THURSDAY.....NOVEMBER 12 1891.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

☞ For new advertisements see 2nd page of this issue.

The Amount Realized.

The people of Danville, Va., presented the sum of $800 to Mr. W. P. Fife for his recent services.

Another Dividend.

Gen. LeDue informs us that about the 1st of December he will declare another 20 per cent. dividend to the depositors of the People's Bank.

Sudden Death.

Mrs. Jane Powers, relict of the late Burke Powers, residing on Massey Hill, was taken suddenly ill last Monday, and before a physician could reach her she was dead.

Don't Miss a Line.

The 3rd (extra) page is full of interest this week—late and important news, personals, etc.—and you cannot afford to throw it aside before giving it a careful perusal.

True Bill Found.

At the Federal Court in Wilmington, Judge Seymour presiding, the grand jury found a true bill against Mr. E. F. Moore, ex-President of the broken People's Bank of this city.

The Artist of the Carving-Knife.

The breakfast-table anatomist and artistic butcher, Mr. N. Ingram, the other morning placed the writer under obligations by sending to his residence delicious steaks cut from one of his fine mountain beeves.

A Call Given.

Rev. J. S. Watkins, D. D., of Raleigh, has been called to the Presbyterian Church of Greenville, S. C., to succeed Rev. John M. Rose, who vacated it to become Synodical Evangelist of North Carolina. Dr. Watkins has the call under consideration.

"Kid Gloves."

Mr. Joseph J. Hall, a native of this city, is very pleasantly reminding his hosts of friends in Fayetteville of his existence by shipping to the popular grocer, Mr. A. S. Huske, fine oranges from his place at Pierson, Fla. He sends the "Mandarin" or "Kid Gove" orange—a small but exquisite fruit.

Painful Accident.

On Friday last Mr. Charles Watson, a nephew of Mr. Ledbetter, while at his work in the shops af the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway, had his thumb and two or three fingers of the right hand badly cut and mangled by the saw. The wound is very painful, but he is doing as well as could be expected.

Change of Schedule.

By the change of schedule on the C. F. & Y. V. Railroad, in effect last Sunday, the hour of arrival of the trains from Mt. Airy and Wilmington has been changed from 2:45 to 2:25. The Bennettsville train will arrive at 3:10, instead of 2:45, as heretofore, and leaves at 2:35 instead of 3:12. Trains for Greensboro and Wilmington leave at 3:10,

The Old Soldiers.

We regret to state that the cash contributions to the Soldiers' Home during fair week amounted to but a small sum—only $5.26. The very greatness of the crowd, and the hurry and confusion, made people forgetful; and we hope that Mrs. Sutton, who has labored so faithfully in this matter, will even now be not discouraged.

It has been suggested that the Light Infantry Band give a concert, half the proceeds to go to the Soldiers' Home. We risk nothing in promising a very large and delighted audience.

Free Art Exhibition.

We are authorized to invite all the ladies and children of Fayetteville, including the graded and private schools, to the exhibition, free of charge, tendered by Prof. Carter in Williams Hall at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. Please let it be remembered that the front seats are to be reserved for the ladies and children.

Prof. Carter's rapidity, pliancy and delicacy with the artist's brush are wonderful, pictures growing like magic under his dæmon hand; but see him for yourselves—that is better than any criticism of ours.

The Music of the Fair.

That naught might be lacking to accentuate the perfect success of last week's fair, we were particularly fortunate in music. The Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry Band's services on the ground greatly delighted all visitors, while Prof. Miller' band held sway in the ball-room. His concert on Friday night was very delightful—a very high class of music throughout.

We see that a complimentry benefit is to be tendered to Prof. Miller and his orchestra in Wilmington. Those fine artists well deserve this courtesy.

A Small Fire.

Between 8:30 and 9 o'clock on Saturday evening last sparks from the chimney ignited the roof of A. J. Henderson's residence on Ramsay street, and created an alarm, but did little damage.

Some time ago the town was re-warded; but, although the fire department was instructed to sound the alarm according to the old-ward enumeration, the bell will frequently locate the fire according to the new enumeration. This was the case the other night, when the hose truck went in one direction and the engine in another. There should be an unmistakable understanding in this matter.

THE FESTIVAL OF TERPSICHORE.

Gallant Votaries and Fair Devotees at the Shrine—Miller's Fine Music—The Graceful German and the Inspiriting Quadrille.

We beg to congratulate Mr. J. A. Moore (who has our special acknowledgment for courtesies tendered) chief manager of the german and ball, and his assistants for the gratifying success which rewarded their efforts to please their guests, and we felicitate the young men of Fayetteville generally upon the unexceptionable deportment which characterized both these entertainments.

When Ward McAllister leads out his "Four Hundred," "conquering and to conquer," doubtless snowy shoulders and willowy forms bear more profuse and ornate trophies of the genius of Worth; but not the most brilliant assemblages in the New York Academy of Music or the grand banqueting-hall at Tuxedo Park can delight the artistic eye with lovelier girls than the strains of music bend and sway in graceful movement at a festive gathering of the Cape Fear region.

'Twas a "study" of ravishing toilettes the other night, a "dream of fair women," an apotheosis of female beauty, each figure of the dance disclosing in its rythmic maze, as if some gorgeous flower unfolded its treasures to the sun, the melting eye, the ruby lip, the fairy form. Following are the costumes complete:

GERMAN.

Miss Mamie Bidgood: yellow silk chiffon; natural flowers: Mr. J. A. Moore, leader.

Miss Laura Glover: white silk chiffon: gold jewelry: Mr. Paul Smith.

Miss Nellie Murray: white china silk chiffon; diamonds: Mr. J. C. Thomson, Jr.

Miss Belle Barker: white chiffon; Marechal Niel roses: Mr. C. L. Campbell.

Miss Janie Hicks: nile green silk; pearls: Mr. A. S. Wightman.

Miss Peck: blue silk chiffon; topazes: Mr. J. R. Williams.

Miss Florence Faison: white de chene: Mr. James Kyle.

Miss Ruth Smith: white satin *en train*, white silk fringe trimmings; pearls and diamonds: Mr. F. W. Thornton, Jr.

Miss Laura Pemberton: nile green faille silk *en train*; diamonds: Mr. J. D. Williams, Jr., Jr.

Miss Mittie Matthews: white cream silk, lace; silver ornaments: Mr. J. H. Robinson, Jr.

Miss Fannie Broadfoot: white silk mulle *en train*; pearls: Mr. Jno. Underwood.

Miss Southerland: white brocade; pearls, natural flowers: Mr. Baily Evans.

Miss M. A. Wright: pink net and diamonds: Mr. Leighton Huske.

Miss Martha Williams: white crepe de chene, gold trimmings; diamonds: Mr. Banks Ruecker.

Miss Bert Watson: heliotrope silk, velvet trimmings, gold braid; diamonds and emeralds: Mr. Robt Collins.

Miss Louise Reid: blue plaid silk, opera bonnet; rubies: Mr. T. J. Whitted.

Miss Winnie Faison: white silk and pearls: Mr. W. H. Slocomb.

Miss Fannie Tillinghast: cream nun's veiling; topazes: Mr. J. B. Tillinghast.

Miss Nellie Pemberton: cream silk *en train*; chiffon and rubies: Mr. H. H. Covington.

Miss Birdie Brady: white langsdown; emeralds: Mr. Owen Love.

Miss Marion Mallett: white gauze, lace; gold ornaments: Mr. Will Kyle.

Miss Maggie W Mallett: pink henrietta; hyacinths: Mr. Tom Moore.

Miss Eliza Williams: white silk, chiffon trimmings; rubies: Mr. Faison.

Miss Kate Underwood: heliotrope silk; pink roses and diamonds: Mr. Marsden Haigh.

Miss Hill: blue silk *en train*; pearls: Mr. J. C. Huske, Jr.

Miss Dora Hawley: light blue china silk; gold lace trimmings and pearls: Mr. Geo. O'Hanlon.

Miss Rebecca D. Haigh: white silk, with chiffon; diamonds: Mr. Joe. B. Underwood.

Miss Bettie Evans: nile green silk; diamonds: Mr. Faison.

Miss Laura Kyle: blue silk, *en train*; diamonds: Mr. W. G. Moore.

Miss Bert McDuffie: pale pink pongee silk, silver embroidery; diamonds; W. M. Glover.

BALL.

Miss Janie Williams: old rose silk, black lace and jet: Mr. J. A. Moore.

Miss Nellie Murray, Raleigh: blue china silk: Mr. T. F. Moore.

Miss Bert Watson: pink silk, gold trimmings; Marechal Niel roses: Mr. J. H. Robinson, Jr.

Miss Rebecca Haigh: nile green silk; red roses and pearls: Mr. John Lewis.

Miss Laura Pemberton: white net over white silk; emeralds: Mr. Dave Woodard.

Miss Lilly Southerland: black and nile green silk, *en train*; diamonds: Mr. Marsden Haigh.

Miss Nellie Haigh: black lace; diamonds and red flowers: Mr. J. B. Tillinghast.

Miss Fannie Broadfoot: black crepe de chene, *en train*; rubies: Mr. W. A. Whitehead.

Miss Nellie Pemberton: pearl gray crepe de chene, *en train;* silver trimmings: Mr. E. E. Gorham.

Miss Maggie Mallett: yellow china silk: Mr. James Kyle.

Miss Lizzie Peck: crepe de chene lavender: J. D. Williams, Jr., Jr.

Miss Mary Wright: silk mulle; diamonds: Mr. W. M. Glover.

Miss Eliza Williams: nile green silk, lace overdress; pearls: Mr. F. L. Faison.

Miss Alice McDuffie: light blue silk chiffon; Marechal Niel roses: Mr. H. J. Marsh.

Miss Kate Underwood: blue silk; pearls: Mr. Bailey Evans.

Miss Marion Mallett: white mulle; natural flowers: Mr. W. G. Moore.

Miss Laura Kyle: yellow faille silk; red geraniums: Mr. W. H. Slocomb.

Miss Baldwin, Petersburg: white silk; pearls: Mr. A. S. Wightman.

Miss Carrie Pemberton: cream silk and crepon; gold trimmings: Mr. A. G. Harrall.

Miss Lou Reid: white silk, lace trimmings; rubies: Mr. J. C. Thomson, Jr.

Miss Martha Williams: light blue brocaded silk; jeweled passementerie: Mr. Jno. Underwood.

Miss Winnie Faison: white silk; natural flowers: Mr. Will Kyle.

Miss Lettie Rosenthal: pink silk and black velvet: Prof. Nye.

Miss Birdie Brady: black lace; red flowers: Mr. J. C. Huske.

Miss Ruth Smith: Redfern gown of scarlet satin, *en train*; pearls: Mr. S. S. Batchelor.

Miss Bert McDuffie: cream brocade silk, jeweled trimmings; emeralds and diamonds: Mr. Paul Smith.

Miss Emmie B. Williams: pink silk; pearls and passementerie: Mr. Kirk Huske.

Miss Mamie Bidgood: white crepe de chene, silver trimmings; diamonds: Mr. J. B. Underwood.

Miss Barker: pink chiffon; diamonds: Mr. J. R. Williams.

Miss Florence Faison: white silk, *en train*; diamonds: Mr. Owen F. Love.

Miss Janie Hicks: pink silk and net: Mr. A. B. Williams, Jr.

Miss Mary L. Taylor: white silk and point lace; diamonds: Mr. T. J. Whitted.

Miss Laura Glover: nile green faille silk, crepe de chene overdress; pearls.

Religious Notes.

Rev. Dr. W. H. Moore delighted a large congregation last Sunday morning at Hay Street Methodist Church by an able sermon on the greed of man, the love of gain, the subordination of everything else in the strife to get rich, the dwarfing of the better nature and the sullying of the soul in the bald, coarse worship of money. Dr. Moore emphasized his eloquent warning by the sad case of Mr. Barnes, of Bennettsville, S. C., as an illustration, and did the OBSERVER the compliment of endorsing its views on the moral offered by that heartrending suicide.

Rev. Jno. M. Rose preached two very impressive sermons in the Presbyterian Church last Sunday. We are glad to know that Fayetteville will be the headquarters from which he will go out to his evangelistic work, and that his family will make this their home. Rev. Mr. Pell will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church next Sunday.

Rev. W. B. Oliver baptized 18 persons at Mallett's pond last Sunday afternoon. The ceremony was witnessed by a very large concourse of people, and it gives us pleasure to state that, throughout the immense crowd, that seriousness and decorum befitting such an occasion was observed.

A Varied Bill of Fare.

The managers of the Opera House gave us an *olla podrida* of good things last week, beginning with the Lilliputians, very delightful to the young folks, with an acrobatic performance hard to excel.

We were then given the Cleveland Minstrels, of which the music was superb and the contortionist wonderful; but we don't think that a poorer performance was ever interjected into any entertainment than the trick mules.

The Boston Quintette were very delightful, and we don't believe we would ever tire of listening to the marvelously sweet, rich contralto of Miss Reynolds. Blumenberg is a superior artist, and Mme. Berger is charming. The carriage of the members of the company on the stage is polished and refined, though somewhat lacking in animation.

This Way, Please.

If you don't believe it is to your interest and that it will pay you to look over our new advertisements this week:

D. H. Bell: For Sale.
M. McD. Williams: Auction Sale.
Opera House: Ford Comedy Company.
W. N. Williams: Important Sale.
Observer Office: For Sale.
J. W. Welsh: Carriages and Wagons.
W. J. McDonald: For Sale.
C. M. Watson: Lost.
D. Gibb: Auction Sale.
A. S. Huske: "Kid Gloves."
E. W. Lineback: Piano Tuning.
Racket Store: Art Exhibition.
F. W. Thornton: Something New.
J. B. Smith: Execution Sale.
Winston Land Co.: 100 Lots.
H. H. H.: The New Patron.
N. W. Ray: Turpentine Land for sale.

The Prize Bread.

The committee appointed for the purpose of testing the merits of the bread offered in competition for the prize of $5 in gold, awarded by the Sugar-coated Yeast Company, met at the store of Mr. Walter Watson at 19:30 o'clock Thursday morning. After a careful examination of an excellent display of all sorts of tempting make-ups of the "staff of life," the committee adjudged the prize to be deserved by Mrs. W. W. Cole. The persons using it speak in very high terms of the "Sugar-coated Yeast."

The plan adopted secured absolute impartiality in making the award—the different contributions being placed in a showcase with simple numbers affixed, so that the committee were entirely ignorant of the names of the respective makers.

Obituary.

The sad news was received here the last of October of the death, at Ashburn, Ga., on the 27th ult., of young Ashby Williams, a native of either Cumberland or Chatham county, and son of our former esteemed citizen, Mr. J. F. T. Williams.

The deceased had been for about two years with Messrs. R. B. Lutterloh & Bro., in their extensive naval store business at Ashburn, and his employers pay very feeling and affectionate tribute to his admirable moral and social qualities, and to his fidelity and efficiency in the performance of the duties devolving upon him.

Very lamentable is the untimely quenching of the hopes of youth and bright manhood with all its possibilities; and the bereaved parents and friends have our warm sympathies.

Water Works.

Col. Gardiner, of the National Water Supply and Guaranty Company, spent a few days here this week and last, accompanied by an expert engineer from Pittsburg, and gave satisfactory assurances that operations would be commenced on the new Water-Works plant in a few days, whereupon the commissioners in special session granted an extension of time for the completion of the same. Capt. J. D. McNeill, chairman of the water-works committee, is our authority for the statement that all doubts as to the intent of the above-named company to construct in this city a first-class system of water-works have been removed.

Decided.

The great will case of Mrs. Smith at Raleigh, involving $400,000, has been decided by compromise.

The Legitimate Drama.

The Ford Comedy Company, which gives two performances here this week, is, among traveling combinations, what Lester Wallack was on the metropolitan boards: the faithful conservator of the legitimate drama—not deeming it necessary to degrade the natural dignity of the stage by burnt cork and the ballet, and believing that even to-day there are people who can see genius in Shakspeare, wit in Sheridan and humor in Goldsmith.

This evening will be rendered at Williams Hall "She Stoops to Conquer"—a play which gathered its laurels in London when the theatre, flower-crowned, held its own with polities and literature; when the play-wright was the caressed and *feted* of the *salon* and drawing-room; when about Drury Lane and Haymarket fashion circled as does the moth around the glaring ball-room light.

The dramatic critic of the Baltimore *News* lays this madrigal in tribute at the feet of the "Kate Hardcastle" of charming Miss Ford:

Quick to do and brave to dare,
She has caught love in her snare;
Never bar-maid poured such measure
In the cup of blissful pleasure
As her happy lover sips
From the "nectar of her lips."
Not too high her heart would be
Placed by his timidity;
So, to gain love's sweet estate,
"She Stoops to Conquer"—bonny Kate.

To-morrow evening will be given "The Runaway Match" and "In Honor Bound;" of the first the Baltimore *Herald* says:

In Tom Taylor's 3-act comedy of "The Runaway Match," which followed, Mr. Clarke's work was admirable, and he seemed his distinguished father, John Sleeper Clarke, over again. He kept the audience in a roar whenever he appeared; and, although so young—only 23 years of age—he interpreted the part of Beetle with all the finish and strength of a much older and more experienced comedian. Miss Ford played "Blanche," the young wife, in a pleasant, girlish manner. Her method is refined and modest, and the part suits her very well.

Revisiting the Old Battle Field.

The other day Mr. H. J. Sellers, of Cheraw, S. C., made his appearance at the extensive establishment of Messrs. McMillan Bros., on Person street, to make certain purchases; but, although he was on business intent, his eyes were turned eagerly toward the Cape Fear river, and he made special inquiries of the half-way bridge on Russell street, and of an old oak in front of the Sundy place (now the residence of Capt. S. C. Rankin). He took a walk to the spot, and his interest was very natural, for he once had an exciting experience right there.

Mr. Sellers was a member of Co. A., Capt. McIver (now Chief Justice of South Carolina), Rutledge's 4th South Carolina Cavalry, Gen. M. C. Butler's Brigade, and was in the "Kilpatrick fight" near here. Wm. Allen Benton, sergt. major of his command, posted him at this bridge, giving him an axe and two men to assist, and ordering him to tear up the bridge at the last moment, and to kill his two companions if they attempted to shirk their duty. One, Wesley Biddle, stuck to him to the last, but the other, a man named Glass, fled before the work was done. While destroying the bridge they were repeatedly shot at by the enemy, and splinters of the planks pierced by the bullets flew all over them.

When Mr. Sellers crossed Clarendon Bridge it was on fire, and the interior was dense with smoke. The gallant old soldier was doubtless the last man across that bridge on the day of Sherman's entry into Fayetteville, and will probably not forget it to his dying day. He carries scars of wounds received at Cold Harbor.

People and Their Movements.

Miss Louise Reid, of Wilmington, is visiting Misses Hattie and Delle Sutton.

Miss Katie Lipscombe, of Virginia, is visiting Rev. W. B. Oliver's family in this city.

We are much pleased to see Mr. Herbert Lutterloh, of Ashburn, Ga., making a visit to his parents on Haymount.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Williams, of Wilmington, have been spending a few days with relatives and friends in this town and county.

Rev. W. B. Oliver left yesterday for Goldsboro, to be in attendance on the State Baptist Convention which meets there this week.

Miss Dick, a very handsome young lady of Franklinville, the guest of Mrs. Fife, has gained many friends and admirers during her visit to this city.

Evangelist Fife left for Durham yesterday, whither he goes to represent the Fayetteville Church at the North Carolina Synod in session at that place this week.

Few visitors who come to Fayetteville find more people, of both sexes, delighted to see him than Mr. Nash E. Bunting, of Wilmington; and we are glad that he found his visit last week pleasant.

Miss Florence Faison, of Sampson county, Mrs. B. W. Hill, Misses Winnie Faison and Janie Hicks, of Duplin, and Miss Janie McDiarmid, of Manchester, have been making a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. McD. Robinson.

Mr. E. W. Lineback—well-known and very popular and very useful among our musical people—is making one of his professional visits to Fayetteville. See him if your piano wants attention, for he is a busy man, and is always "on the fly."

Misses Williams, Peck and Wright, charming belles in Wilmington society, with many devoted admirers in this city, accompanied by Messrs. Kirkland Huske and Wm. G. Whitehead, came up to attend the fair on Wednesday, 4th inst., the guests of General Manager Fry on his special car.

We Don't Like It.

Our readers will acquit us of a disposition to act the censor, but there are times when we feel impelled to "speak out in meeting."

"Glenvarloch Castle," in Williams Hall, is not a work of high art, and we doubt that the shade of the fastidious departed Nigel would behold this tribute to his ancient family mansion with unmixed gratification; but, as a drop-curtain, it at least has some regard to the "eternal fitness of things"—which is more than can be said of the staring bill-board which has replaced it recently.

We do not blame the advertisers for eagerly seizing the opportunity offered of letting the public know all about their fine liquors, and oysters, and dry goods, and sundries. But this community, albeit simple and unostentatious, insists somewhat peremptorily upon the possession of fairly good taste; and oh! the pity of it—this ruthless disturbance of the *manes* of Shakspeare, and "rare Ben Jonson," and Congreve, and Wycherly, and Burton, and Dan Bryant, and Eph Horne, and Nelse Seymour: those delightful worthies of the green-room and foot-lights!

DIED.

JACKSON—In Cedar Creek township, Cumberland county, on the 30th of October, 1891, Mrs. LAURA VANNIE, beloved wife of Mr. Delaver Jackson, and daughter of Stephen and Catharine Johnson, aged 22 years.

Far better than all human appreciation, God loved her best, and called her away from this vain world of sin and sorrow to join her little infant son that went a few days before her, where she will dwell with him and the angels, for she was a Christian, an humble, devout follower of the meek and lowly Jesus, and for years a faithful member of the Baptist Church. Though the Master's summons was sudden, we feel confident that she was found ready, and died as she had lived, at peace with God.

Beautiful toiler, thy work all done;
Beautiful soul into glory gone;
Beautiful life with its crown now won,
God giveth thee rest.
Rest from all sorrows and watching and fears;
Rest from all possible sighing and tears;
Rest through God's endless wonderful years.
At home with the blest.
It was so sudden, our white lips said:
How we shall miss her, the beautiful dead!
Who takes the place of the precious one fled?
But God knoweth best.
We know that He watches the sparrows that fall,
Hears the sad cry of the grieved hearts that call;
Friends, husband, parents, He loveth them all:
We can trust for the rest.

CHRISSIE J. McM.

Edonia, N. C.

"Feak and Weeble."

A friend of mine had an odd way of mixing her words. Perfectly unconscious of it, she would often make folks laugh. She would speak of feeling "feak and weeble," for weak and feeble, and "castor ill poils," for castor oil pills. But she was weak and feeble until she took that powerful, invigorating tonic, "Favorite Prescription," which so wonderfully imparts strength to the whole system, and to the womb and its appendages in particular. For overworked women, run-down women, and feeble women, generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is unequaled. It is invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, exhaustion, prostration, hysteria, spasms and other distressing nervous symptoms, commonly attendant upon functional and organic disease. It induces refreshing sleep, and relieves mental anxiety and despondency.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SOMETHING NEW!

I have just received from the sale of a broken Importing House in New York several cases of

NEW AND STYLISH

Dress Goods,

which are indeed beautiful, and would be cheap at 75 cents, but which I will offer for a few days at the unheard-of price of 50 cents per yard.

Come at once and see them before they are all gone.

FRANK W. THORNTON.

Nov. 12, 1891. tf

Housekeepers Should

Have the satisfaction of using the best grade of goods.

Families desiring fresh, all-right goods will do well to patronize the dealer who is alive to the demands of the trade. We are here, and constantly dispensing Fresh and Palatable Edibles, such as:

Prepared Buckwheat, Magic Flour, Rolled Oats and other Cereals; Best Maple Sap Syrup; Heinz Co.'s Pickles, Preserves, Jellies and Mince Meat; also Atmore's Mince Meat, Plum Pudding, &c., &c., &c.

See a lot of Florida Oranges, and also

OLIVES BY MEASURE.
MANDARINS or KID GLOVE ORANGE.

A. S. HUSKE, Ag't.

Nov. 12, 1891. tf

At Auction.

On Saturday next, 14th inst., will be sold at auction *FOUR FINE MULES* and *2 WO LOP BUGGIES* with *HARNESS*.

Place of sale: Market House.
Time of sale: 12 o'clock M.

DAVID GIBB, Assignee.

CHAS. GLOVER, Auctioneer.
Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 12, 1891 1t

Piano Work.

I am here to look after PIANOS. Parties desiring first-class Piano work, or who desire to consult me about their Pianos, will please leave orders at Sheetz's Furniture Store, as my time is so limited that I cannot canvass.

E. W. LINEBACK.

Nov. 12, 1891. 1tpd

Turpentine Land

FOR SALE.

About 2,100 acres on Crain's Creek and near Cypress Church, known as The Shaw Land.

Also about 250 acres on the north side of Little River, near Monroe's Bridge, adjoining Townsend and others.

Also about 50 acres on south side of Little River, near D. J. Monroe's, and about 22 acres adjoining the lands of Rev. D. Fairley and Murchison and others.

N. W. RAY, Att'y for
Heirs of Mrs. Mary Monroe.

Nov. 12, 1891. tf

100 Lots for Sale

—BY THE—

WINSTON-SALEM LAND

—AND—

Investment Company

NOVEMBER 24th, 1891.

All of these lots lie within 100 yards of Electric Street-Car Line and Macadamized Street, and thirty of them lie immediately on said car line and street.

This Company has actually spent $80,000 in developing its lands. Main Street, the chief business and residence thoroughfare of the city of Winston-Salem, has been extended by a straight line through the property.

Mile-and-a-half Electric Street Railway (Sprague System) running through the property (Extension of City System). Fare any part of the city five cents.

Property supplied with Electric Light, Water-Works and Telephone Service. Main streets through the property macadamized. Iron Bridge across Wachovia Brook 108 feet long, 55 feet wide, at a cost of $14,000.

Sixty thousand dollars' worth of lots sold at private sale to residents of Winston-Salem. Many handsome residences in course of construction. Sunnyside Social Club, composed largely of business men of Winston-Salem, now building a handsome club-house on the property.

Two Large Tobacco Factories and one Leaf House to be built on the property in the next few months.

Terms of sale: One-fourth cash and the balance in 12, 18 and 24 months, six per cent. interest.

REDUCED FARE ON RAILROADS.

CORRESPONDENCE INVITED.

Address

Winston-Salem Land and Investment Company.

November 12, 1891. 1m

Sale of a Valuable Water Power, Saw Mill Plant, Machinery and 2,935½ Acres of Valuable Land.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me on January 8th, 1891, by H. W. Steinhilper and wife, I will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, the following lands and property, viz:

55½ acres of land near Manchester depot on C. F. & Y. V. R. R. on Lower Little River, on which is located the saw-mill and plan ng mill plant recently operated by said H. W. Steinhilper. On this tract is located one of the largest and best water-powers in North Carolina (198 horse-power) within half mile of the depot; the mill-dam and buildings are in first-class order; and everything is ready for immediate use. The buildings are large and especially adapted to manufacturing lumber, and with the machinery, consisting of saws, shafting, belting, gearing, pulleys, engines, boilers, planers, hangers, edgers, trimmers, tools, &c., go to make up a complete saw-milling outfit. Connected with the plant there is a large dry kiln in good order. On the land there are suitable tenement houses for operatives, and a side-track from C. F. & Y. V. R. R runs to the mill.

Second tract, adjoining the above tract, lies on the north side of Lower Little River, and contains 66 acres.

Third tract in Cumberland county, near Morrison's Bridge, is known as the Elliot or Joe McArthur land, and contains 320 acres.

Fourth tract, containing 1,387 acres, lies on the south side of Lower Little River, is known as the McLeod land, and joins the lands of Alex. McNeill and others.

The fifth tract is located in Harnett county, adjoins the McDiarmid lands on Buffalo, and contains 1,107 acres.

On the last-mentioned four tracts there is a vast quantity of pine timber suitable for the manufacture of lumber, and logs can be easily floated to the mills on Little River. The present capacity of the mills is about 25,000 feet of lumber per day.

The title to this land and property is perfect. For further description and a history of the titles reference is made to the deed recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cumberland County, N. C., in Book "P," No. 4, page 383, etc., and to Book "D," No. 2, page 225, etc., in Harnett County.

Place of sale: Court-House door of Cumberland County.

Time of sale: Thursday, December 17th, 1891, at 12 o'clock M.

Terms: Cash.

For further information apply to the undersigned.

W. N. WILLIAMS, Trustee,
Fayetteville, N. C.

H. McD ROBINSON, Att'y.
Nov. 12, 1891. ts

Opera House!

—Legitimate Comedy Engagement,—

WILFRED CLARKE,

Thursday and Friday Evenings, Nov. 12 & 13.

MANAGER JOHN T. FORD'S ENGLISH COMEDY COMPANY,

(from the Grand Opera House, Baltimore).

THURSDAY NIGHT—Goldsmith's "She Stoops to Conquer" and "Poor Pellicoddy."

FRIDAY NIGHT—Tom Taylor's "Runaway Match" and "In Honor Bound."

N. B. This will be the most notable engagement of the season.

Reserved Seats now on sale at Pemberton's Book and Music Store. Usual Prices.

Nov. 12, 1891. 1t

Mules and Wagons

AT AUCTION,

AT MARKET HOUSE,

DURING COURT WEEK IN FAYETTEVILLE.

I will offer cheap for cash

1 4-horse Wilson & Child's Road Wagon.
3 4-horse Timber Wagons (iron and wood axles).
4 2-horse Log Wagons (iron and wood axles).
15 Logging Mules and Harness.

M. McD. WILLIAMS,
Assignee.

Nov. 12, 1891—1t

HUSKE HARDWARE HOUSE.

:-:The New Patron:-:

Is The Best Cook Stove for the Money.

November 12, 1891. tf

LOST.

A Black and White Setter Bitch. One side of head is black and the other white. A liberal reward will be given for her return to

C. M. WATSON,
Fayetteville.

nov. 12, 1891—1t

FOR SALE.

A NUMBER ONE FAMILY HORSE—gentle and safe. For further particulars apply to

D. H. BELL,
Person St., Fayetteville, N. C.

Nov. 12, 1891. tf

J. W. WELSH,

Carriage and Wagon Manufacturer,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Repairing in all Branches.

Good Substantial Work

GUARANTEED.

ORDERS SOLICITED.

Nov. 12, 1891. tf

FOR SALE.

A DARK BAY MULE in fine condition, only 4 years old, for sale privately, and if not disposed of before the 17th day of November will be sold at auction, at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., at 12 M. Terms cash.

W. J. McDONALD.

nov. 12, 1891—1t

FOR SALE.

A FINE MILCH COW. For information apply to OBSERVER OFFICE.

Nov. 12, 1891. 1t

Pimples Blotches and Old Sores

Are entirely removed by P. P. P., Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium, the greatest blood purifier on earth.

Boils, erysipelas, syphills, rheumatism, scrofula, blood poison, mercurial poison and all other impurities of the Blood are cured by P. P. P.

Randall Pope the retired druggist of Madison, Fla., says: P. P. P. is the best alterative and blood medicine on the market. He being a druggist and having sold all kinds of medicine, his unsoliceited testimonial is of great importance to the sick and suffering.

Capt. J. D. Johnston.

To all whom it may concern:—I take great pleasure in testifying to the efficient qualities of the popular remedy for eruptions of the skin known as P. P. P. (Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium). I suffered for several years with an unsightly and disagreeable eruption on my face, and tried various remedies to remove it, none of which accomplished the object until this valuable preparation was resorted to. After taking three bottles, in accordance with directions, I am now entirely cured.

J. D. JOHNSTON,
Of the firm of Johnston & Douglas,
Savannah, Ga.

Henry Winter, Superintendent of the Savannah Brewery, says: He has had Rheumatism of the heart for several years, often unable to walk, his pain was so intense; he had professors in Philadelphia, but received no relief until he came to Savannah and tried P. P. P. Two bottles made him a well man, and he renders thanks to P. P. P. For sale by all druggists.

Exhausted vitality, nervousness, lost manhood, weakness caused by overtaxation of the system, will be cured by the powerful P. P. P., which gives health and strength to the wreck of the system. For sale by

H. R. HORNE and A. J. COOK & CO.

RHEUMATISM

neuralgia, and sciatica can always be successfully treated with

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

A cure is sure to follow the persistent use of this medicine.

Has Cured Others will cure you.

May 28, 1891.

Electropoise. (TRADE MARK)
1425 N. Y. Ave.,
Washington, D. C.

OFFICE OF YORK ENTERPRISE,
YORKVILLE, S. C., Aug. 14, '91.

ATLANTIC ELECTROPOISE—Gentlemen: For the past five years my wife has been a sufferer from dyspepsia. So completely did the disease make a wreck of her former self that life was almost despaired of. Her nervous system was almost entirely destroyed, and the slightest noise would throw her into a nervous spasm, which would last for hours. Medical skill failed to bring any relief.

Through the recommendation of an eminent divine we were induced to try the Electropoise. After a persistent use of the instrument, the effect has been wonderful. Her nervous system has been restored to its almost normal condition; her digestion is wonderfully improved; she is rapidly gaining in flesh; and, upon the whole, is making a rapid recovery, which speaks volumes for the wonderful curative powers of the Electropoise, as her case was considered hopeless. If any are skeptical on the subject, let them try the Electropoise, and its wonderful powers will quickly dispel all doubt.

Yours truly, W. M. PROPST.

For information address as above, or
222 KING ST., CHARLESTON, S. C.
Oct. 1, 1891. 1y

TOILET CREAM!

THE ABSOLUTE FREEDOM FROM OIL OR STICKINESS MAKES OUR

Toilet Cream

ONE OF THE MOST PLEASANT AND HEALING AGENTS THAT HAS BEEN INTRODUCED FOR

CHAPPED LIPS, FACE OR HANDS.

Gentlemen will find its use after shaving soothing as well as allaying any irritation.

A trial by you makes it at once a

Household Necessity.

A. J. COOK & CO.,
PROPRIETORS,
Fayetteville, N. C.
Oct. 29, 1891.

TURNER'S
BLOOD PURIFYING COMPOUND
(Extract of Roots and Herbs.

Soothes, Tones and Invigorates the Organs of Digestion and Assimilation, makes good Blood and restores the vital functions to health and activity. It is no experiment, but has stood the test of years, and its value is attested by thousands of testimonials. It reaches the Cause, removes the Evil and Restores to Health. **Price, 50 cents.**

TURNER'S
Anti-Bilious Pills!

are the best Remedy for all Disorders of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels. A trial will prove it. **Price, 25 cents.**

For sale by H. R. HORNE,
Fayetteville, N. C.
June 18, 1891.

Tutt's Pills

stimulates the torpid liver, strengthens the digestive organs, regulates the bowels, and are unequaled as an

ANTI-BILIOUS MEDICINE,

In malarial districts their virtues are widely recognized, as they possess peculiar properties in freeing the system from that poison. Elegantly sugar coated. Lose small. Price, 25cts.

Sold Everywhere.
Office, 44 Murray St., New York.

Concerning Some Folks.

Some folks are allers grumblin', no matter what they've got,
A-findin' fault with what they have and wantin' what they've not;
And you'd think, to hear 'em kickin' and cussin' of their luck,
That the world's a bad investment, an' the Lord's a gettin' stuck.
An' it riles me up to hear 'em a-complainin,' all the time,
With their measly misconception of the works o' the Sublime;
An' it sets me to reflectin' on the merits of the case,
An' a drawin' of conclusions appertainin' to the race,
Till I've sorter got to thinkin' that it's sinful to complain;
That there's just as much of pleasure as there ever was o' pain;
That there ain't no more to cuss about than what there is to bless,
An' things are nearly ekally divided up, I guess,
For when you strike a balance 'twixt the shadder an' the sun,
The two will allers ekalize when all is said an' done;
An' the world is balanced even or it wouldn't spin aroun',
For the hills 'ill fill the hollers when the thing is leveled down.
There's another old-time doctrine, an' I've found it mighty true,
That you never get a thing without a-losin' somthin' too;
That there never was a gain without a correspondin' loss,
That you're not a-goin' to wear a crown unless you bear the cross;
An' when you see a pint in life, the where you'd like to get,
You may make it soon or later, but you'll pay for it, I bet.
A man may get the larnin' of the sciences an' sich,
An' another deal in futures, an' may strike it sudden rich;
But the first has lost the peace of mind that once he used to feel,
An' the last has lost the relish of the hard-earned honest meal;
An' when you see a feller's got all things so extra nice,
You can gamble that fur all he's got he's paid the market price;
An' if your life was figured out, I'll tell you what, my friend,
You'd find it balanced just the same as his'n at the end.
Then quit your fool complainin', an' a studyin' how to shirk,
For the time you spend in cussin' you can better spend in work;
Things take on a bilious look, at times, I must admit,
But a-kickin' an' complainin' wouldn't help the thing a bit;
An' the clouds that come a-driftin' by 'il vanish one by one,
An' a-peerin' from behind 'em is the glory of the sun.
There's as much of sun as shadow in every drap of dew,
There's as much of day as darkness when you take the whole year through;
There's as much of sun as shadder in every human heart,
An' of day an' night in every life you'll find an ekal part;
An' should there be a residue, a-standin' either way,
The Lord 'll make it ekal on t'other side, some day.

—*Albert Biglow Paine.*

Among the Poultry.

St. Louis Republic.]

Keep enough fowls to buy the groceries.

Corn and cornmeal are the best fattening foods.

A good hen will lay twice her weight in eggs in a year.

Barley and wheat, fed alternately, make a good egg-producing ration.

On the farm, at least, the medium-sized breeds are the best.

Close to large cities broilers bring in more money than anything else.

When grain is fed throw on a litter and partly cover it up.

A cooked mixture of the table-scraps makes a good morning ration.

Geese are not only valuable as meat producers but should annually produce a pound of feathers each.

A sudden change from one kind of grain to another will often stop hens from laying.

When the hens are laying soft-shelled eggs they either need lime or they are too fat.

One fowl with scurvy legs is apt to impart the disease to others.

Ducks do not thrive well on a hard grain diet; they need more bulky food.

One advantage with ducks is that they are less liable to disease than almost any other kind of poultry.

Ducks and geese are the best fowls to raise on wet, low-lying lands.

Poultry manure is the richest that can be secured on the farm, and it should be carefully stored away.

Clean hay or straw makes a good covering for the floor in winter, and will add materially to the comfort of the fowls.

By allowing the poultry the run of the orchard they are partly fed, and the bugs and insects destroyed.

Even during the winter it is best to arrange so that the fowls can be kept busy. In nearly all cases idleness means mischief.

Pekin ducks are the best on places where there are no ponds. They are poor flyers, and can readily be kept in enclosures.

Sassafras Drives Away Weevils.

Forest and Farm.]

Those who wish to prevent the weevil from injuring corn, grain, peas, or other grain or seeds, should try sassafras bark. Take a common chopping-axe, and chip off as many chips as are needed, taking chips and bark together, from two to four inches square by chopping. They may be used several times, as the sassafras never entirely loses its odor or properties. The chips can be mixed with the grain when housed—about two bushels of chips to a granary sixteen feet square by ten deep. Corn should always be husked, and the chips scattered through the corn as it is housed.

Some claim that the chinaberry-tree leaves, limbs and berries, mixed in through the corn in layers, will answer the same purpose. Try one or both, and drive the weevil away.

☞ Teacher—Keep your hand down John Billings; when I am ready I will call upon you. (Ten minutes later.) Now, John Billings, I will hear what you want to say. John Billings—I only wanted ter tell yer that I seed a tramp in the hallway hook yer gold-headed umbrella.

☞ A young man disturbed the household the other night by shouting in his sleep: "Come up with your ante!" They are at a loss to know whose auntie he was talking about. He is probably a "chip" off the old block.

☞ Lawyer (to female witness)—What occupation did your husband follow?

Witness—He was a skipper.

Lawyer—Of a schooner?

Witness—No; of a bank. He skipped to Canada.

☞ Baron Nordenskjold, the famous Arctic explorer, is to lead an expedition to the South Pole in July, 1892. It certainly is not fair that the North Pole region should have a monopoly of these tragedies.

Commendable Comments.

"Here are a few of the pleasantest words that ever blotted paper."—*Shakespeare.*

Experience--Comparison--Opinion.

I have carried $20,000 life insurance in the Northwestern Life Insurance Company of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, since 1874, and have received the largest dividends from them over all other insurance I carry, and cheerfully recommend them to all persons desiring life insurance.—*W. W. Moore, Manager New Grand Opera House, Des Moines, Iowa.*

I take pleasure in recommending the Northwestern; have carried two policies in the company for several years, and recently took out the third. Have insurance in other old-line companies, but find the dividends in the Northwestern exceed those of any other company. —*N. Burrows Bubb, Sec'y and Treas. Otto Chemical Company, Williamsport, Pa.*

I carry life insurance to the amount of $125,000. I have a policy of $30,000 in the Northwestern, and the yearly dividends have been much larger than those of any other company in which I am insured. I regard the Northwestern as a first-class company in every respect.—*S. D. Coykendall, President Cornell Steamboat Company, Rondout, N. Y.*

Mr. Coykendall is also insured in the Equitable, New York Life and Connecticut Mutual.

Replying to your favor of this date, I will state that about five years ago I took out a $15,000 policy in your Company; also one in another prominent Company for the same amount and same kind of policy. My dividends in your Company have exceeded the other two hundred and fifty per cent.—*Frank E. Block, Proprietor Steam Cracker Factory, Atlanta, Ga.*

While other policies in different companies held by me have failed to yield such returns as were stated to be probable, the dividends on my policy in the Northwestern have been larger than you stated they would be at the time I insured, and I know of no higher praise that can be given any company.—*J. Newton Fiero, of Bernard & Fiero, Attorneys, Kingston, N. Y.*

I am the possessor of five policies in the Northwestern, and my only regret is that they do not represent more insurance. Have compared dividends and "additions to paid up policy" with friends insured in other companies, and am satisfied the Northwestern takes the lead and will continue to lead the van.—*F. L. Van Tassel, Secretary Excelsior Mill Company, Yankton, South Dakota.*

I take pleasure in saying that so far as my experience goes with the seven companies with whom I have placed my life insurance, the Northwestern has, by its larger dividends, furnished my life insurance at less cost than any of the other companies, and thereby earned the right to stand at the head, as I estimate them.—*George A. Russell, President and Treasurer National Papeterie Company, Springfield, Mass.*

I am more and more satisfied each year that it is the strongest company in the country and, of all my policies, I value those in the Northwestern most highly When my dividends are double those of the other companies, it is, perhaps, not to be wondered at. I am confident that whoever is seeking the safest and most profitable life insurance will, on carefully looking over the field, certainly invest in the Northwestern Mutual Life.—*Wm. H. B. Pratt, 94 Sixth Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.*

Some years ago I bought several small insurance policies, leaving it with the companies to give me such a policy as in their judgment was the best they had to offer. After considering these policies I determined that the one furnished by your company was the best of the lot, and in consequence thereof gave them what additional insurance I have taken out since that time. I feel so thoroughly satisfied with the policies written by your company that before taking any insurance with any other company I shall go to the limit in yours.—*C. F. Milburn, President Milburn Wagon Company, Toledo, O.*

I carry $100,000 of Life Insurance, and have given the matter of the relative merits of the different companies thoughtful consideration. It is perhaps a sufficient indication of my opinion in regard to it that one-half of all my life insurance is written in the Northwestern, $50,000 being the limit the company writes on any individual. I consider it the strongest, most profitable and most conservative company in the United States. My dividends are larger than those received from any other company, figuring the dividends on the same basis.—*James L. Houghteling, of Peabody, Houghteling & Co., Real Estate, Chicago, Ill.*

JNO. UNDERWOOD & BRO.,
District Agents,
Fayetteville, N. C.
Oct. 8, 1891. tf

CHAS. GLOVER, AUCTIONEER

—AND—

REAL ESTATE AGENT.

Negotiates the sale and purchase of Stocks, Bonds and other Securities.
Fayetteville, N. C., Feb'y 5, 1891. tf

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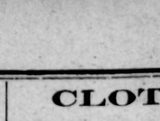

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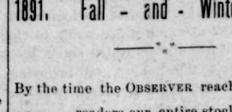

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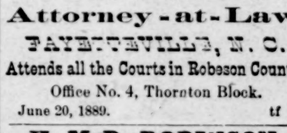

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Place of sale: Court House in Fayetteville, N. C.
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NORTH BOUND.

	Daily Except Sunday. No 2.	Sunday. No. 4.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 16.
Leave Wilmington,	10:45 a m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	2:42 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	3:10 p m		
Leave Sanford,	4:38 p m		
Arrive Greensboro,	7:10 p m		
Leave Greensboro,	7:35 p m		
Leave Walnut Cove,	9:05 p m		
Arrive Mt. Airy,	10:00 p m		
Leave Bennettsville,		12:05 p m	
Leave Maxton,		1:05 p m	
Arrive Fayetteville,		2:40 p m	
Leave Ramseur,			7:25 a m
Arrive Greensboro,			10:05 a m
Leave Greensboro,			10:30 a m
Arrive Madison,			1:05 p m

SOUTH BOUND.

	Daily Except Sunday. No. 1.	Sunday. No. 3.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 15.
Leave Mt. Airy,	7:00 a m		
Leave Walnut Cove,	8:51 a m		
Arrive Greensboro,	10:15 a m		
Leave Greensboro,	10:45 a m		
Leave Sanford,	1:18 p m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	2:45 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	3:10 p m		
Arrive Wilmington,	6:35 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,		3:12 p m	
Leave Maxton,		4:48 p m	
Arrive Bennettsville,		5:40 p m	
Leave Madison,			2:30 p m
Arrive Greensboro,			4:35 p m
Leave Greensboro			5:25 p m
Arrive Ramseur,			8:25 p m

NORTH BOUND—Daily Except Sunday. No. 12

Leave Greensboro	10:30 a m
Leave Walnut Cove	1:50 p m
Arrive Mt. Airy	3:35 p m

SOUTH BOUND—Daily Except Sunday. No. 11

Leave Mt. Airy	2:10 p m
Leave Walnut Cove	6:00 p m
Arrive Greensboro	9:09 p m

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Oct 3, 1891.	No. 23, Daily.	No. 27, Daily.
Leave Weldon	12 30 P. M.	5 43 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	1 40 "	
Arrive Tarboro	*2 18 P. M.	
Leave Tarboro	10 35 A. M.	
Arrive Wilson	2 18 P. M.	7 00 P. M.
Leave Wilson	*2 30 "	
Arrive Selma	3 30 "	
Arrive Fayetteville	5 30 "	
Leave Goldsboro	3 15 "	7 42 "
Leave Warsaw	4 14 "	
Leave Magnolia	4 27 "	8 40 P. M.
Arrive Wilmington	6 00 "	9 55 P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 14. Daily.	No. 78. Daily.
Leave Wilmington	12 35 A. M.	9 15 A. M.
Leave Magnolia		10 57 "
Leave Warsaw		11 11 "
Arrive Goldsboro	2 55 A. M.	12 05 P. M.
Leave Fayetteville		*9 10 A. M.
Arrive Selma		11 08 "
Arrive Wilson		12 10 P. M.
Leave Wilson	3 35 A. M.	12 58 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount		1 30 "
Arrive Tarboro		*2 18 "
Leave Tarboro		10 35 A. M.
Arrive Weldon	5 05 A. M.	2 55 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 4:00 P M, Halifax 4:22 P M, arrive Scotland Neck at 5:15 P M, Greenville 6:52 P M, Kinston 8:00 P M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7:00 A M, Greenville 8:10 A M. Arriving Halifax at 11:00 A M, Weldon 11.25 A M, daily except Sunday.

Local freight train leaves Weldon at 7:00 A M, arriving Scotland Neck 10:03 A M. Greenville 3:00 P M, Kinston 5:10 P M. Returning leaves Kinston at 8:00 A M, arriving Greenville 10:50 A M, Scotland Neck 2:40 P M, Weldon 5:15 P M. daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N C, via Albemarle & Raleigh R R Daily except Sunday, 4:40 P M. Sunday 3:00 P M, arrive Williamston N C, 7:18 P M, 4:20 P M, Plymouth 8:30 P M, 5:20 P M. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6:20 A M, Sunday 9:00 A M, Williamston, N C, 7:40 A M, 8:58 A M. Arrive Tarboro 10:05 A M, 11:20 A M.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N C, Daily except Sunday, 7:00 A M, arrive Smithfield, N C, 8:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield N C, 9:00 A M, arrive Goldsboro, N C, 10:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 3:00 P M, arrives Nashville 3:40 P M. Spring Hope 4:15 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 10:00 A M, Nashville 10:35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 11:15 A M, daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 6:30 P M and 11:15 A M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 8:20 A M and 2:30 P M, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41, 40, 27 and 78.

Southbound Train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No 51. Northbound is No 50. "Daily except Sunday.

Trains No 27 South, and 14 North, will stop only at Rocky Mount, Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia.

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